AND THERE WAS I NOT DOING ANYTHING WHEN UP COMES THEM DOD GASTED KIDS AND —

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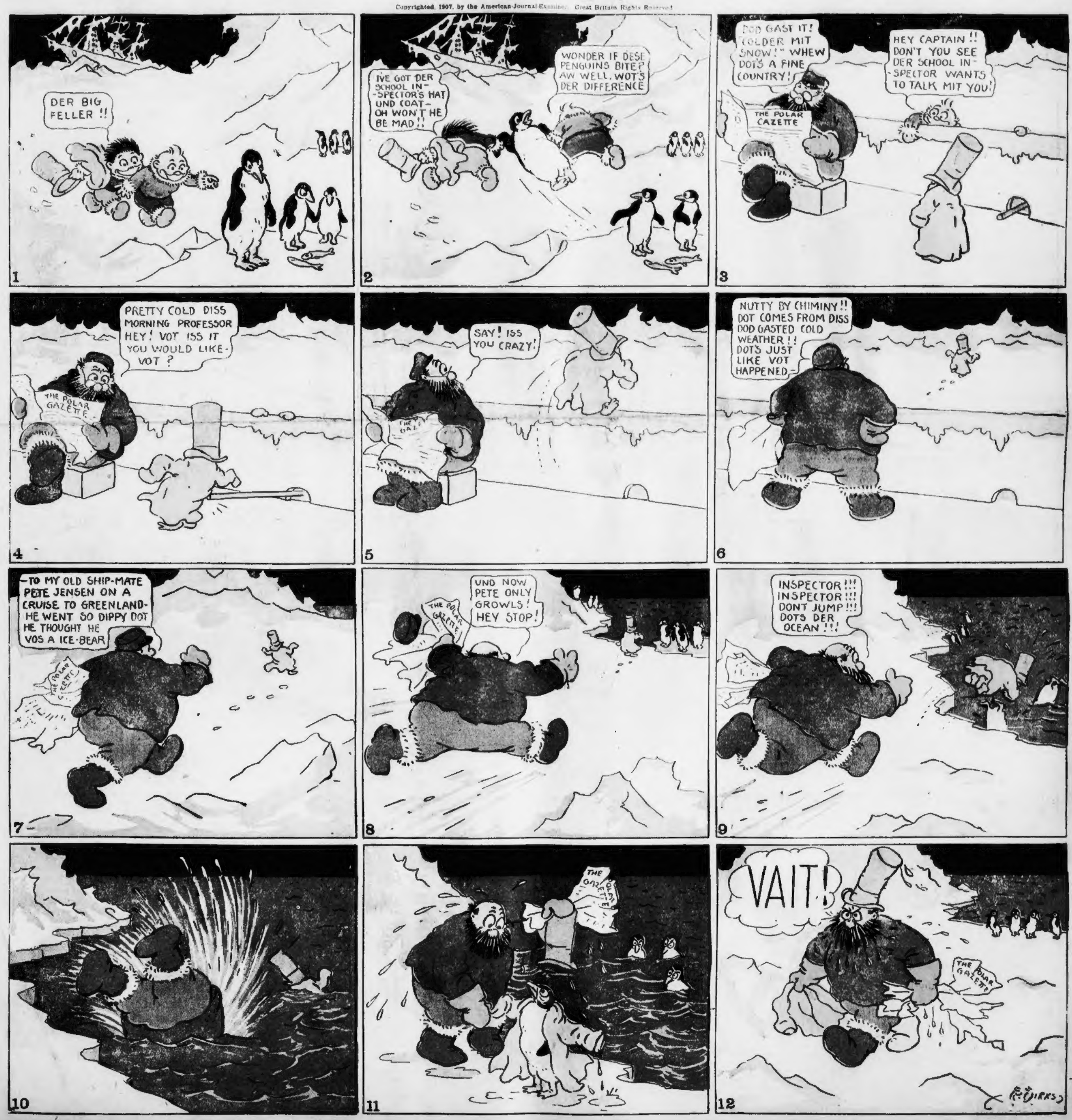
DER BIG FELLER !!
1
IVE GOT DER SCHOOL IN--SPECTOR'S HAT UND COAT-OH WON'T HE BE MAD!!
WONDER IF DESE PENGUINS BITE? AW WELL, WOT'S DER DIFFERENCE
2
DOD GAST IT! "COLDER MIT SNOW!" WHEW DOT'S A FINE COUNTRY!
THE POLAR GAZETTE
HEY CAPTAIN !! DON'T YOU SEE DER SCHOOL IN--SPECTOR WANTS TO TALK MIT YOU!
3
PRETTY COLD DISS MORNING PROFESSOR HEY! VOT ISS IT YOU WOULD LIKE-VOT ?
THE POLAR GAZETTE
4
SAY! ISS YOU CRAZY!
5
NUTTY BY CHIMINY!! DOT COMES FROM DISS DOD GASTED COLD WEATHER !! DOT'S JUST LIKE VOT HAPPENED—
6
—TO MY OLD SHIP-MATE PETE JENSEN ON A CRUISE TO GREENLAND-HE WENT SO DIPPY DOT HE THOUGHT HE VOS A ICE-BEAR
THE POLAR GAZETTE
7
THE POLAR GAZETTE
UND NOW PETE ONLY GROWLS! HEY STOP!
8
INSPECTOR!!! INSPECTOR!!! DONT JUMP!!! DOTS DER OCEAN!!!
9
10
THE POLAR GAZETTE
11
VAIT!
THE POLAR GAZETTE
12
R. DIRKS

HAPPY HOOLIGAN IS OUT AGAIN AND GUS IS IN AGAIN!

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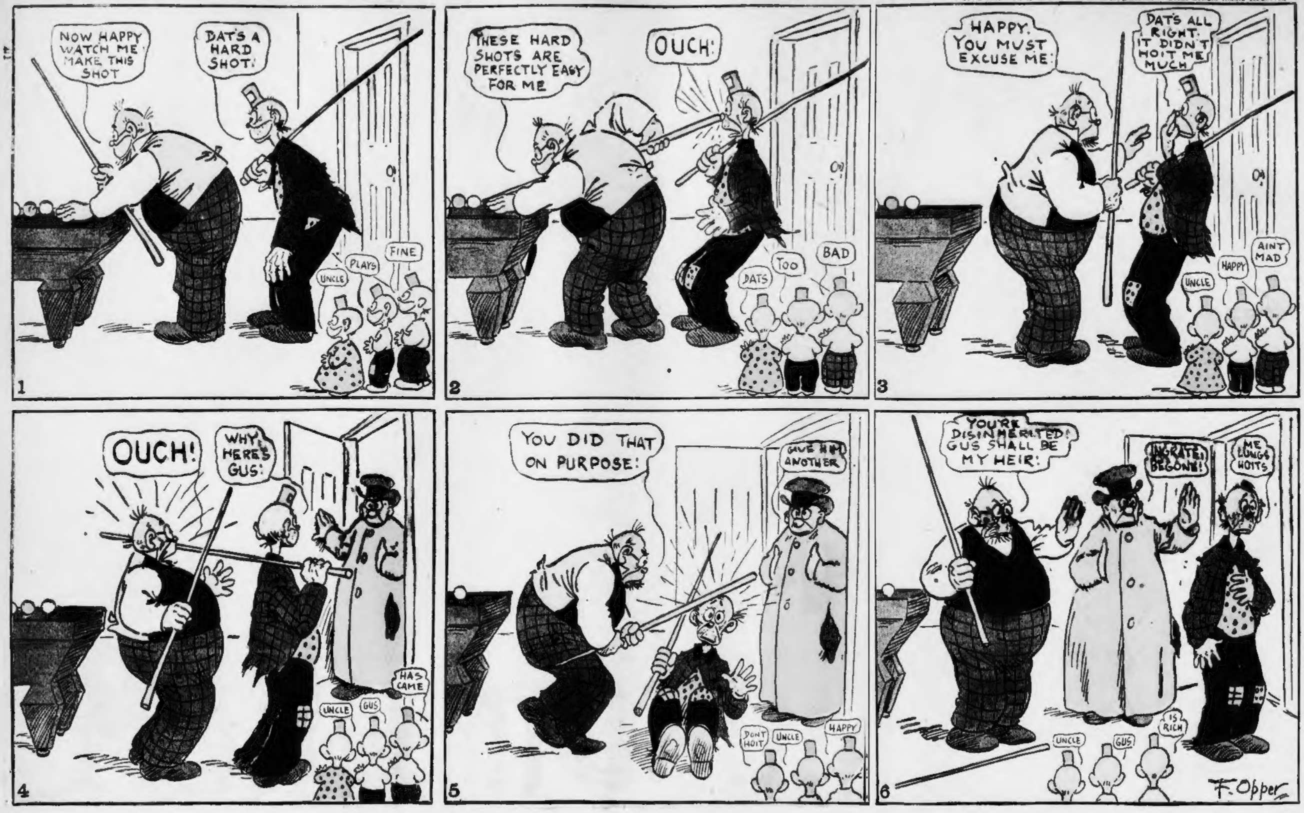

THE LAD THAT LOVED A LADY!

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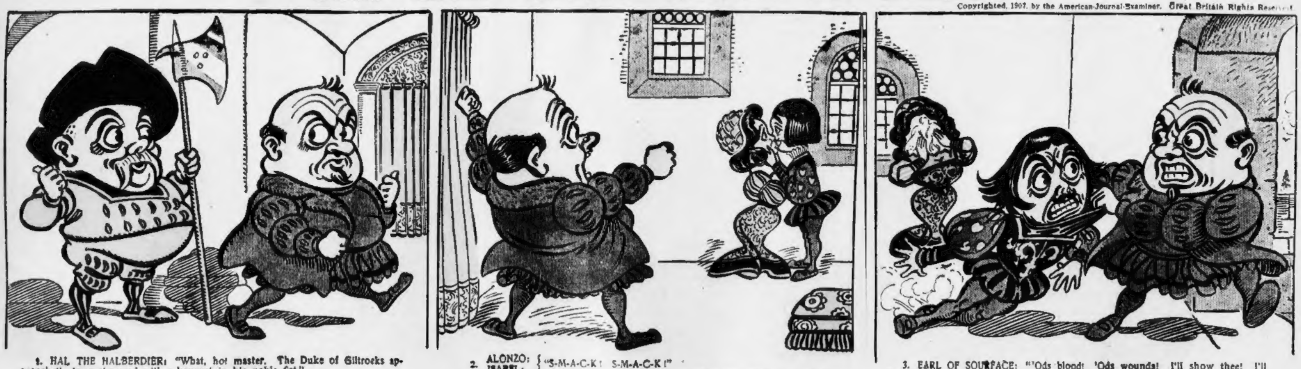
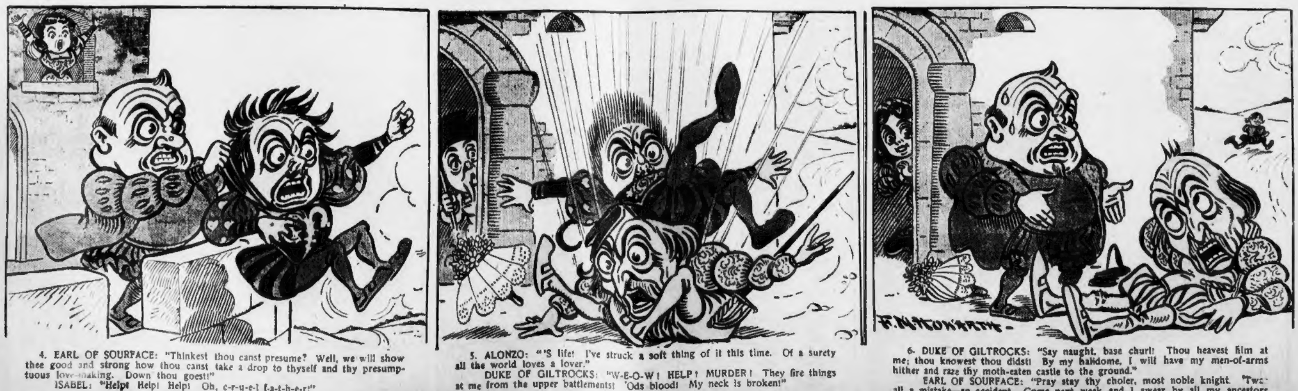


1. HAL THE HALBERDIER: "What, ho! master. The Duke of Giltrocks approacheth down the road with a bouquet in his noble fist."
EARL OF SOURFACE: "By my faith! Isabel must be prepared to receive and accept him this time. I will go and call her. She is in the next room."

2. ALONZO: } "S-M-A-C-K! S-M-A-C-K!"
ISABEL: }
EARL OF SOURFACE: "HOLD! What meaneth this temerity? A page making love to my daughter—she whose hand is sought in marriage by the wealthy Duke of Giltrocks! 'S death!"

3. EARL OF SOURFACE: "'Ods blood! 'Ods wounds! I'll show thee! I'll teach thee a lesson, base varlet! By St. George! Over the battlements thou goest!"
ISABEL: "Oh, Popper! Popper! Popper!"



4. EARL OF SOURFACE: "Thinkest thou canst presume? Well, we will show thee good and strong how thou canst take a drop to thyself and thy presumptuous love-making. Down thou goest!"
ISABEL: "Help! Help! Help! Oh, c-r-u-e-l f-a-t-h-e-r!"

5. ALONZO: "'S life! I've struck a soft thing of it this time. Of a surety all the world loves a lover."
DUKE OF GILTROCKS: "W-E-O-W! HELP! MURDER! They fire things at me from the upper battlements! 'Ods blood! My neck is broken!"

6. DUKE OF GILTROCKS: "Say naught, base churl! Thou heavest him at me; thou knowest thou didst! By my halidome, I will have my men-of-arms hither and raze thy moth-eaten castle to the ground."
EARL OF SOURFACE: "Pray stay thy choler, most noble knight. 'Twas all a mistake—an accident. Come next week and I swear by all my ancestors my daughter shall be thine. By gad! I swear it!"

CHARLIE AND GEORGE

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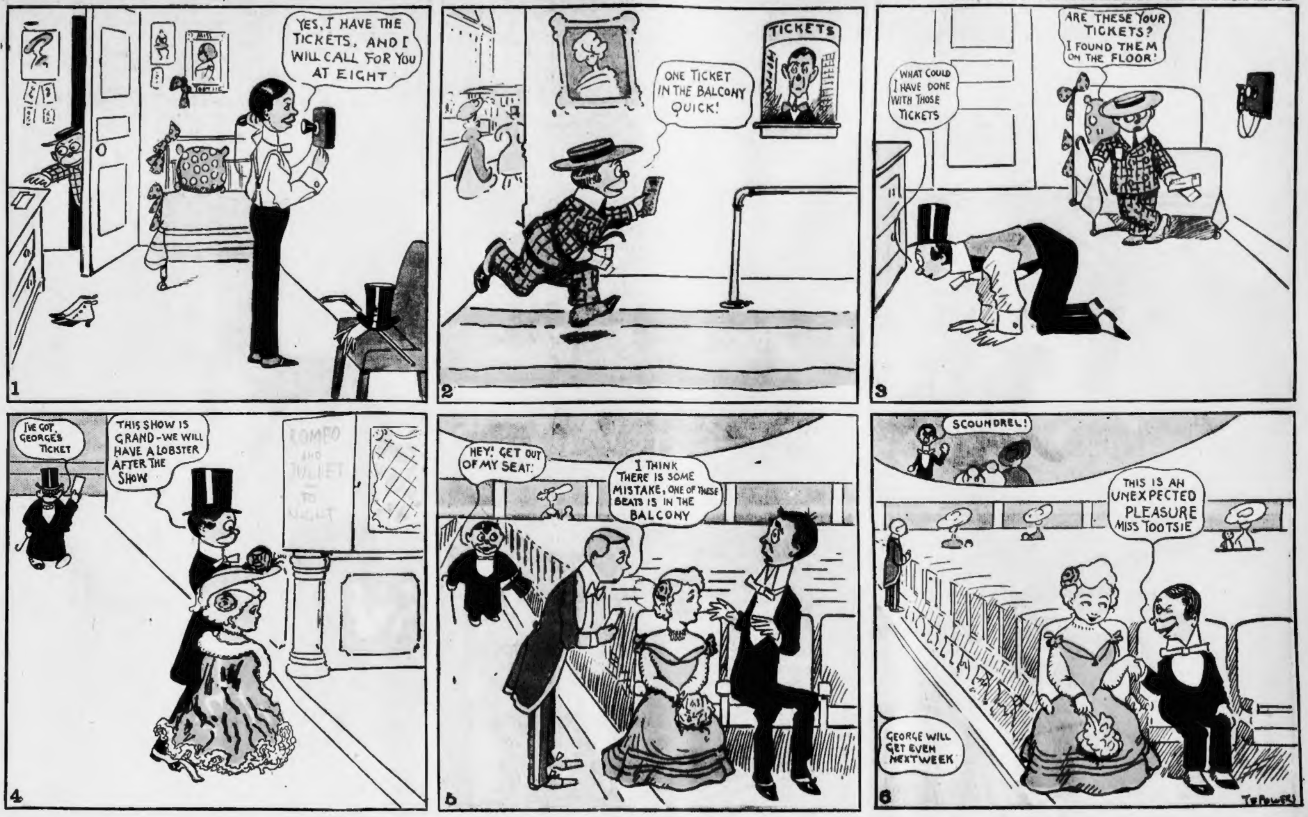
YES, I HAVE THE TICKETS, AND I WILL CALL FOR YOU AT EIGHT
1
TICKETS
ONE TICKET IN THE BALCONY QUICK!
2
WHAT COULD I HAVE DONE WITH THOSE TICKETS
ARE THESE YOUR TICKETS? I FOUND THEM ON THE FLOOR!
3
I'VE GOT GEORGE'S TICKET
THIS SHOW IS GRAND - WE WILL HAVE A LOBSTER AFTER THE SHOW
ROMEO AND JULIET TO NIGHT
4
HEY! GET OUT OF MY SEAT!
I THINK THERE IS SOME MISTAKE, ONE OF THESE SEATS IS IN THE BALCONY
5
SCOUNDREL!
THIS IS AN UNEXPECTED PLEASURE MISS TOOTSIE
GEORGE WILL GET EVEN NEXTWEEK
6
T.E. POWERS

AND HER GRAND OLD NAME WAS MAUD!

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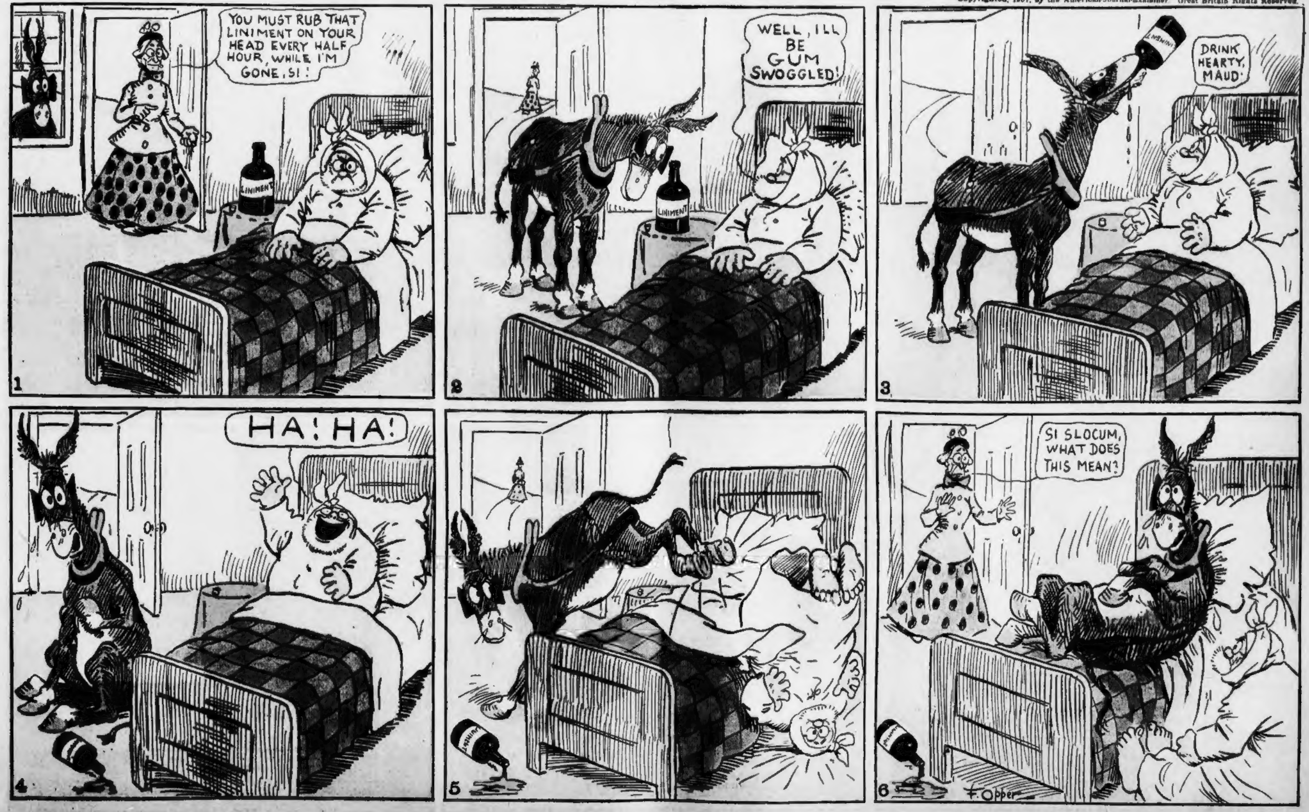
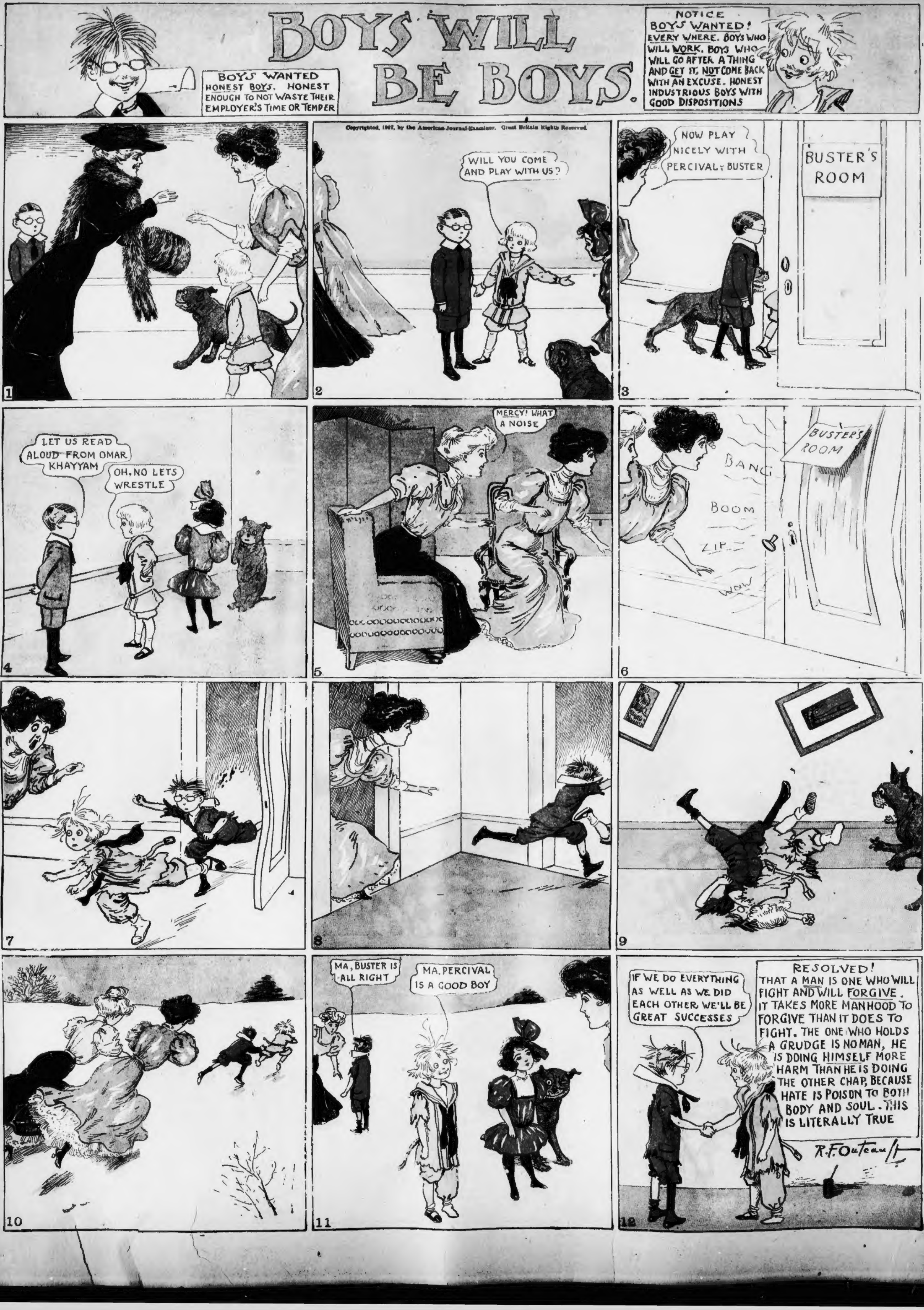

YOU MUST RUB THAT LINIMENT ON YOUR HEAD EVERY HALF HOUR, WHILE I'M GONE, SI!
LINIMENT
1
WELL, I'LL BE GUM SWOGGLED!
LINIMENT
2
DRINK HEARTY, MAUD!
LINIMENT
3
HA! HA!
4
LINIMENT
5
SI SLOCUM, WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?
6
F. Opper


BOYS WILL BE BOYS.
BOYS WANTED HONEST BOYS. HONEST ENOUGH TO NOT WASTE THEIR EMPLOYER'S TIME OR TEMPER
NOTICE BOYS WANTED! EVERY WHERE. BOYS WHO WILL WORK. BOYS WHO WILL GO AFTER A THING AND GET IT, NOT COME BACK WITH AN EXCUSE. HONEST INDUSTRIOUS BOYS WITH GOOD DISPOSITIONS
1
WILL YOU COME AND PLAY WITH US?
2
NOW PLAY NICELY WITH PERCIVAL, BUSTER
BUSTER'S ROOM
3
LET US READ ALOUD FROM OMAR KHAYYAM
OH, NO LETS WRESTLE
4
MERCY! WHAT A NOISE
5
BUSTER'S ROOM
BANG
BOOM
ZIP
WOW
6
7
8
9
10
MA, BUSTER IS ALL RIGHT
MA, PERCIVAL IS A GOOD BOY
11
IF WE DO EVERYTHING AS WELL AS WE DID EACH OTHER WE'LL BE GREAT SUCCESSES
RESOLVED! THAT A MAN IS ONE WHO WILL FIGHT AND WILL FORGIVE. IT TAKES MORE MANHOOD TO FORGIVE THAN IT DOES TO FIGHT. THE ONE WHO HOLDS A GRUDGE IS NO MAN, HE IS DOING HIMSELF MORE HARM THAN HE IS DOING THE OTHER CHAP, BECAUSE HATE IS POISON TO BOTH BODY AND SOUL. THIS IS LITERALLY TRUE
R.F. Outcault
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The Gibson Girl's Sister No 7

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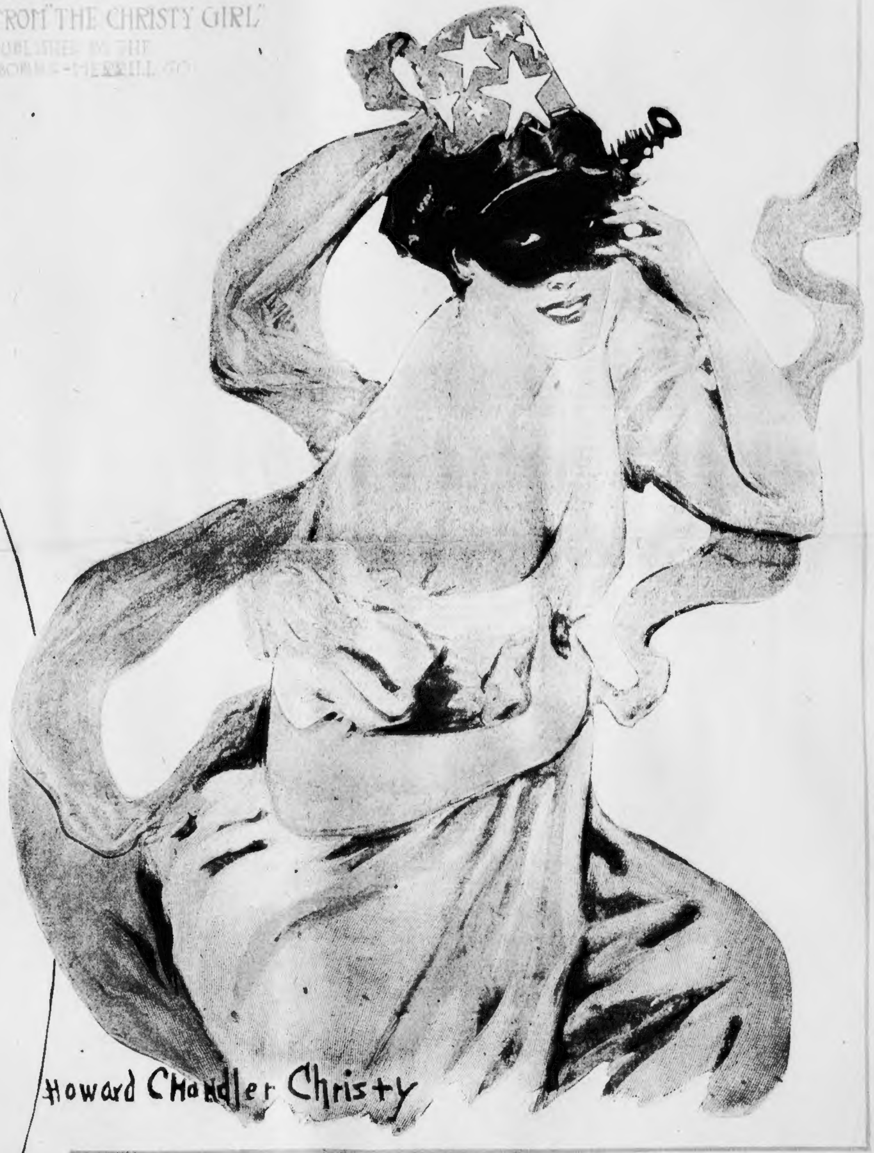

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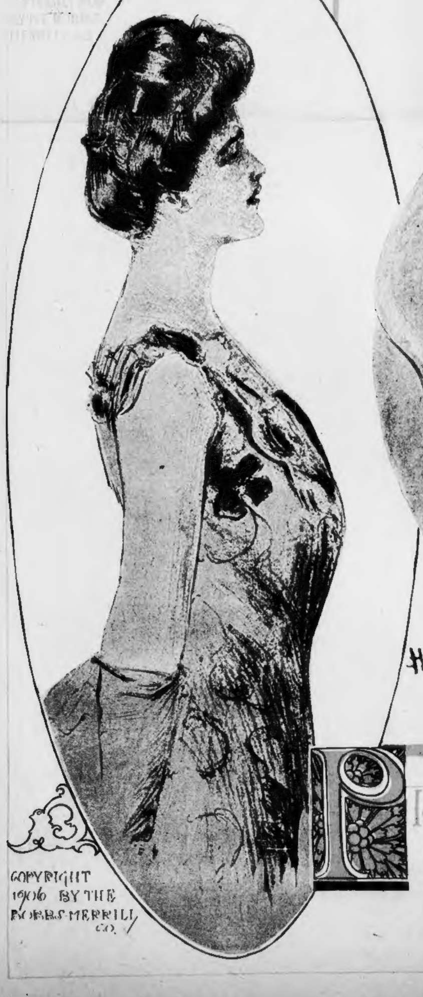

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Playful and Demure American Girls. Drawn by Howard Chandler Christy

HOWARD CHANDLER CHRISTY'S girls have become permanent institutions in society and literature.

Many persons when they wish to express a warm admiration for a real girl say that she "looks like a Christy girl."

One is attracted by a sense of breeding, an unmistakable air of distinction of the "girls" he portrays—that elusive quality not to be imitated by any one except to the manner born, which is most clearly defined in the expressive phraseology of the connoisseur of thoroughbreds as "class."

The Christy girl is the ideal girl of the best society, with whom breeding means gentleness, generosity, sympathy and nobility of conduct." The artist has a great belief in the moral elevation of the modern American girl and her freedom from the small meannesses that used to characterize women in former ages when they led narrower lives than to-day. As an illustration of his belief he declares that if the Christy girl had to face the problem of "The Lady or the Tiger?" she would certainly let the lady out to take her lover and not the tiger to devour him.

With Mr. Christy life has always the color of "the brave days when we were

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YOUNG THEODORE ROOSEVELT PELL'S DISTRESSING DILEMMA.

MISS ALMA ROBERT.

Theodore Roosevelt Pell.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Pell.

Clara Morris Points Out How the President's Cousin Has Chosen the Right but Most Embarassing Way of Settling a Very Awkward Situation Which Often Confronts Gay Young Millionaires.

TO fight or not to fight is a question that often presents itself to the young man with plenty of money and a taste for the lighter pleasures of life. Whether to contest a suit be declares to be baseless and the act of blackmailers in open court, inviting the attention of the world to his alleged foibles and weaknesses, or to quietly settle a case that is not liable to remain settled, is a dilemma that may confront any man of money and a wide acquaintance.

That at least, is what the distinguished father-in-law of Theodore Roosevelt Pell, the namesake of the President of the United States, says in defense of his daughter's husband. For the young man's wife, his family and his wife's family, and society, have aligned themselves for the young man's defense. They assert that in the suit for $25,000 for breach of promise which Miss Alma Robert, a singer, has brought against him he is the victim of circumstances and a designing woman. Mr. Pell asserts the same.

It calls attention, they declare, to the danger to which any man of wealth and position is exposed, who permits a woman to visit his office.

"I know hundreds of prominent men in the large cities not one of whom will visit a woman on business or permit one to enter his office," said Edwin S. Cramp, the millionaire shipbuilder, father of Miss Florence Cramp, who three years ago became Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Pell. "But in some lines of business this rule cannot be enforced. This woman called at my son-in-law's office, and professed to be looking for a house. He went with her to show her several houses, and on the trip she asked him a great many questions. In fact, almost the first question she asked him when she came to his office was whether he was not the young man who had married my daughter.

"He did not see anything more of her until one day he received a note asking him to call. He went, supposing that it was some business in connection with the house. But she told him she was ill and asked him to write the name of a reputable physician on a slip of paper, with pen and ink that she had made ready for his visit. My son-in-law was astonished, and declined to write the name of a physician or anything else.

"About five months ago he heard of the case and asked me to come to New York. He had told his wife of it and she and all of us advised him to pay no attention to proposals to settle, but to use all the money necessary to fight it openly."

This is the story of Theodore Roosevelt Pell and his friends. On the other hand Miss Alma Robert declares that immediately after she and her sister, Mrs. Sarah May, had moved into the house that had been secured through the real estate firm with which Mr. Pell is connected he called to see whether they were comfortable, and that upon various pretexts he called, until calling became a habit, which he made no attempt to break. She asserts that he made love to her even as Romeo wooed Juliet, and that when she discovered last summer that he was married it made her ill. She produces many letters in writing that resembles his, letters that are sufficiently amorous even for a Juliet. One of them begins, "My dear lump of love," and asserts that he had first married for money but that he proposed now to marry for love.

Mr. Pell asserts that he "hardly knows the woman." Miss Robert declares that he knew and loved her so well that he insisted that she no longer sing in public, because he was jealous of her audiences. An incident in the case that his lawyers regret is that Mr. Pell had already made a settlement of $75 with the woman, for alleged commission in a real estate transaction.

Mr. Pell has concluded to fight. His motto, he says, is "Millions for defense, but not one cent for blackmail." Is his course the wise one? Should other men, similarly perplexed, follow his example? Miss Clara Morris answers the question on this page.

A "Brief" for Mr. Pell.—By Clara Morris.

LOOKING about us on this opening of the New Year one cannot help noting the almost incredibly painful and humiliating situation in which one young man of position and wealth finds himself, and the amount of comment it is causing in all quarters—some sympathetic, some of the coarse, jeering order.

The unfortunate gentleman's name is Mr. Theodore Roosevelt Pell—and very likely he wishes it wasn't, though it comes to him, I believe, by way of kinship. And really, now, is it not an abuse of power for fathers to load up these small mites of humanity with names of the famous and powerful? Think of the over-weighted Abraham Lincoln Smiths, the Robert Lee Dadys, the Bernadotte Barneses, the Henry Clays, Daniel Websters that sprinkle the country! Why, even when the handicapped one strives hard his accomplishment will be dwarfed by the overshadowing name, and if he stoops to folly or comes to grief in any way, the glare of his great name will simply cast into blacker shadows his error. Don't you suppose that young Mr. Pell would be thankful this day to be a plain Robert, or Philip, or James Pell, rather than that blazing Theodore Roosevelt Pell, that instantly catches the attention of the world and holds it like a vise to the doings of its owner?

Seldom indeed have the follies of young bachelorhood hit a bridegroom so fairly in the neck as in Mr. Pell's case, and the strange thing is that whether he be proved innocent or guilty of the charge made against him, his future will remain sickeningly precarious by reason of its depending wholly upon the justice and unchanging judgment of a young and pretty wife. Why, good heavens! His case may remain on the home docket for life and never reach a final decision!

What a situation it is! Marrying in the full sunshine of family approval, this happy bridegroom of a highly bred, socially brilliant young bride, suddenly finds himself facing the crass vulgarity of a breach-of-promise suit. Far better for him had he been charged with treason, murder or arson. Crime is not without dignity, but as black frost is to a flower, so is ridicule to love, and the breach-of-promise suit is generally bracketed with the mother-in-law joke.

In this position Mr. Pell is learning a whole lot of things, among others is the fact that a "dilemma" is not a "unicorn;" on the contrary, it is a dangerously aggressive animal, armed with two large, smooth and sharply pointed horns, one plainly marked "fight" and the other "pay," and like a little man Mr. Pell is grasping the first horn—may he not lose his grip!

Personally I can see just one thing for this young gentleman to do in his painful position. He is undoubtedly acquainted with the national game of poker and the noble art of bluffing; therefore, it is for him to play his game steadily and bluff with the eye of innocence and a cheek of brass, and be it remembered, entre-nous, that thousands of women who know not poker understand a bluff and appreciate it when made for their sakes.

"But," says a man whose bump of caution is like unto a little hillock, "why did not Mr. Pell pay the woman and keep her quiet? Innocent or guilty, I'd have paid to avoid all the publicity of the thing"—and I must say that Mr. Pell is fortunate not to have had such an adviser. To pay, if guilty, would be hush money; to pay, if innocent, would be blackmail, and that would be tantamount to a life sentence of pay—pay—pay. For a blackmailer is "an absent-minded beggar," and will not stay a very sheol to the victim.

So, pull in your belt, Mr. Pell, and bulge ahead, and fight for love and honor!—is what I should say, were I an acquaintance of the unlucky young man.

As to his guilt or innocence, I have heard that question argued over and over, women generally holding him innocent, while men grin widely and say: "Teddy Roosevelt P——, picked up a tiger-cat instead of a kitten, that's all." But when I am asked my opinion, with carefully adjusted draperies I climb up and sit on the fence. Because, you see, he's a gentleman, and I don't believe he promised marriage to that undesirable young person; therefore, I don't hold him guilty, but as to his innocence—why, er—well, that's why I'm on the fence.

When the young Missourian wants to know he waits "to be shown"; when the young Easterner wants to know he "finds out." Now, of course, the son of refinement and wealth is bred up to the way he should go, in the bright and safe land of the chaperon; also, he is carefully warned away from the black depths of that world of the lost and condemned, but, lo! he discovers for himself that there is a borderland, and, being a bit weary of strict conventionality, though shrinking fastidiously from contact with that nether world, he wants "to know," and proceeds "to find out," by taking a little flutter in this borderland, where there is much beauty, little money, a veneer of good manners, and just that increased freedom of speech and action to be expected from the complete absence of the chaperon. For here she does not exist.

At her appearance the mercury in every thermometer drops like a plummet to the bottomest bottom of every bulb, far, far below the freezing point, and in such an atmosphere the chaperon fades away. All of which is quite delightful to the young man who wants "to know," and is going "to find out"—by and by.

Meanwhile, a pretty acquaintance refuses to go out with him again to supper. "Why?" "Because of gossip." (Now here is where the engagement ring takes the place of the chaperon.) "When one is engaged, one comes and goes without comment or question—but we"——

"What's the matter with getting a ring, then?" he gaily jests. "You get ready—I'll find a ring, and you can call it what you like"—and much laughter and joking follow. He is playing, so is she—but not the same game; he says many things to her through his hat. Then some day it is not difficult for her to be away from home, and so secure a note of cruel disappointment or containing some ardent passages from him, and once the pen is used—Oh, la! la! la!

By and by the flutter is over. The girls of the borderland have been no end amusing, giving as good as you send, and the limit of independence and go. But play is over now. Wave a kiss from the finger tips, and "So long, Mary." Then the curious young man returns to the bright land of the chaperon, falls in love with one of his own class, and then sometimes he is accused of breach of promise and, to his horror, finds how different is the sound of the words spoken through his hat when they are heard in court without any intervening chapeau at all. Then he realizes that he has, indeed, found out about the borderland he should have kept out of.

Now, I am not saying this has happened to young Mr. Pell, but it has happened to others. The woman who brings a suit into court for breach of promise is always lacking in modesty and in self-respect; but she who could falsely make the suit out of whole cloth would be so incredibly shameless a creature that it is hard to believe such a case possible. Still, that is Mr. Pell's claim, and he may be able to prove it; but until he does I shall fancy that, in search of amusement, he has cast against loaded dice, which belief will leave me still on the fence for some considerable time to come, unless I adopt the Scottish decision of "Not proven" and get down and come in.

One thing, though, remains unshakably true: Mr. Pell's future matrimonial path must be straight and narrow to the barest accommodation of his own shoes if madam is to meet his coming with both hands extended in welcome. Let him strike into some grassy side path, or even dimly sight a primrose, he will emerge to find his wife awaiting him with one hand behind her, and he'll know what for. Yes, for a young man well born and wealthy, Mr. Pell's lines have fallen in some mighty unpleasant places.

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twenty-one." And this quality of buoyant and over-fresh manliness enables him to put into every picture the feeling of youth, beauty and romance.

Many of the heroines of Winston Churchill and other popular novelists live in the public eye as they were personified by Christy.

The Christy girls are playful and demure as a rule. They have an expression of good humor and good fellowship, and they are always ready for a little fun, but they are never hoydenish or romping. They are, in fact, charming companions.

The accompanying examples of Christy's work are taken from a volume entitled, "The Christy Girl," published by the Bobbs Merrill Co.

In this book are gathered all of Mr Christy's latest representations of beautiful young womanhood, so that it seems most fittingly named "The Christy Girl." It contains thirty full page pictures in color and six in tint, with marginal decorations by Earl Stetson Crawford.

Accompanying each picture are appropriate verses, which have been chosen from gems of English literature.

It is an interesting fact that Mr. Christy's model is almost invariably his wife.

"He had told his wife of it, and he and all of us advised him to pay no attention to proposals to settle, but to use all the money necessary to fight it openly."

"The danger to which any man of wealth and position is exposed who permits a woman to visit his office."

"My son-in-law was astonished and declined to write the name of a physician or anything else."

"He went with her to show several houses, and on the trip she asked him a great many questions."

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HOW MELBA PLAYED FAIRY MOTHER TO HER SHEEP HERDER SON.

IN nursery tales the Fairy Godmother performs wonders. But no Fairy Godmother ever performed greater wonders than have been performed by the Fairy Mother of this true tale of real life.

This fairy mother is known the world over. Her name is a household word. It is not like the name of a mortal. It sounds fairy-like—Melba.

When you hear it you think of fairies, as you do when you hear her voice—which has been heard in almost every great city of the world, and always those who hear it—while they are listening to it—feel that they have been transported from the world of mortals into Fairyland.

Out among the sheep ranges of Oregon a boy who had heard the voice so long ago that he could not remember it heard the name often, and it seemed to him like the name of a fairy.

He lived with his father in a rough cabin, where shepherd dogs slumbered beside his humble couch. He ate the simplest food, cooked by himself or by his father, and wore rough clothes—high boots during the rainy season, and at all times a flannel shirt and a broad-brimmed sombrero.

The furniture of the cabin was of the plainest kind—merely good enough for a man and a boy who spent all the long days herding sheep. The walls were rough boards, yet they glowed with glimpses of the charmed world in which the Fairy Mother was queen.

The Fairy Mother's face looked down from every square yard of the four walls. Sometimes it was just her beautiful face; elsewhere her whole figure appeared in a dozen different poses and costumes; sometimes her gown was simple and her hair hanging in the braid of a young girl; again she appeared in silks and velvets with jewels about her neck and in her hair—and above the table where the boy ate his supper she looked down upon him crowned like a queen.

These were pictures cut from illustrated newspapers which were brought every week to the sheep ranch because the boy wanted them; but the face was a living face to him; he often saw it in his dreams. And in the same papers he read how Melba, in Paris, in London, and in New York, saw all men at her feet. He read that the King of England was proud to be her friend, and he read, too, that the world-wide realm which she ruled enriched her beyond the riches of many who were queens in fact.

MME. NELLIE MELBA.

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"Yes, she is your mother," said his father: "but you will never see her or know her as your mother. All that is past, long since."

As he gazed upon the pictures and read about her—and as he thought about her while tending sheep on the lonely range she did not seem to him a real mother; she was a Fairy Mother, and as a Fairy Mother he dreamed of her.

He dreamed that she smiled upon him from afar, and held out her white, jeweled hand to him, and though he was hot with shame because of his own rough, red hands, and his coarse, uncouth garments, he went to her just as he was.

In his dream she received him graciously, and conducted him to a beautiful room in her palace, where he was waited on by servants, who trimmed his unruly locks and helped him attire himself in splendid garments. Then his dream took him to a seat beside the Fairy Mother at a great table covered with gold, silver and crystal dishes, surrounded by other fairies and by men who seemed a separate race of beings from the sheep herders with whom all his life had been spent. And, in the midst of merry talk and laughter he ate such food and drank such wines as seemed to him not of this earth.

Every hour, in his dream, the Fairy Mother grew more tender in her manner toward him.

"I am your mother," she said; "you are my own dear son. Too long we have been separated. Henceforth you shall be to me, and I shall be to you, all that mother and son should."

She took him in his dream whirling over smooth roads, past villages and fields; he saw her and heard her voice as she sang to worshipping multitudes, but he knew she was really singing only to him. She took him half around the world, showed him all the great cities and willed that her friends should be his friends.

And, last and best of all, she found for him a fairy even more lovely than the Fairy Mother herself, who loved him as he loved her, and was to be his forever—and then he awoke.

"He Was Nearly Dying from Excitement and Embarassement, but She Was More Gracious Than Any Princess In Any Fairy Tale."

MR. GEORGE NESBITT ARMSTRONG

Like the Fairy Godmother of Story Books She Appeared to Him in His Dreams On the Lonely Oregon Ranch, and at Last She Sent for Him, Made Him a Part of Her Own World, Enriched Him, Found Him a Beautiful Bride---and Thus His Dreams Came True.

Every time he dreamed this dream the boy found the sheep ranch more lonely than before. The rough cabin, the uncouth clothes, the crude, ill-cooked food embittered his existence. He grew melancholy. Nothing was endurable but the oft-repeated Fairy Mother's face on the cabin walls. His father was annoyed.

"You are not fit for sheep-ranching," he would say. "If you feel that there is a different life open to you, be frank about it."

"You have said that she is my mother," said the boy, with his eyes on the picture above the supper table. "If she is really my mother, would she not be glad to have her son with her—to help him to a position in her own world?"

His father laughed—not quite pleasantly—and, for the first time, told him all the story.

Twenty years ago, and more, the Fairy Mother was Nellie Mitchell, sixteen years old, the daughter of David Mitchell, one of the wealthy citizens of Melbourne, Australia. On a ranch near the city David Mitchell raised cavalry horses, which he shipped to India. He was a man of much dignity and a good Presbyterian, and the wild and reckless fashion in which his blooming daughter persisted in riding his most spirited horses, man-fashion, all over the country shocked and pained him.

She Sang "Too Loud."

One other thing she did splendidly—which pained the sedate father almost as much—and that was, sing. She sang everything she heard better than any one else sang it. But the unsophisticated Australians who heard her at Presbyterian church concerts in small halls shook their heads doubtfully. She sang "too loud." They could not understand that her voice was the biggest thing in Australia.

She knew this instinctively, and when her father continued to oppose her plans for a European training she let herself fall in love with a Queensland squatter, not the owner, but merely the manager of a sheep ranch. He was a handsome fellow, Charles N. F. Armstrong, of a fine family, being a son of Sir Andrew Armstrong, Bart., M. P., of Kings County, Ireland.

At seventeen Nellie Mitchell married him and they went to live on the sheep ranch. A year later a son was born to them—George Nesbitt Armstrong. And when the boy was a year old the constant calls from the muse of music became so loud, so irresistible, that Nellie Armstrong said good-by to husband and son and started straight for Paris and the studio of Mme. Marchesi, then the most famous singing teacher in the world.

To mediocrity Marchesi was a dragon, all claws and teeth. She listened for a moment to the sounds that issued from the Australian girl's throat, and beamed.

"Come to me and the world shall know of you," said Marchesi.

In a wonderfully short while this prediction came true. There was a legal separation from the Australian sheep-rancher. All over the world "Nellie Melba" was a name to conjure with; if she had ever borne another one nobody cared.

In 1900 Charles N. F. Armstrong brought his seven-year-old son to Texas, where he did sheep-ranching while gaining a divorce. The divorce secured, he took his son to Oregon, to a sheep ranch where stands the cabin whose rough walls are papered with pictures of the Fairy Mother.

It was the first time the boy had heard the whole story. Before his father's migration from Australia to Texas, as a ward in Chancery he had attended school in London. The name and fame of Melba had rung in his ears. He had been told that she was his mother, but it all seemed such a fairy tale that he could only think of her as a sort of Fairy Mother.

Now, in that rough cabin on the sheep ranch, learning the whole story, he began to realise that this wonderful being was real, and the dearest thing to him—to any man—on earth. So he said:

"Father, there is no reason why she should always remain silent to me, her son."

"You do not know the world, my boy," and again his father laughed that laugh that was not wholly pleasant.

The days on the lonely sheep ranch for the boy were now hardly to be borne. The nights—nights filled with fairy dreams—were almost as bad.

Then, one day, the weekly mail received at the ranch brought news that made the situation all the harder for the boy to bear. The papers announced that Melba was shortly due in San Francisco, to sing.

San Francisco! Only a few hours by rail would lie between them. The boy dreamed no more; he could not sleep. Yet he felt hopeless. The last thing he would have thought of doing would be to go to his mother uninvited.

But the fates were on his side. One day his father received a letter with a San Francisco postmark. He read it, thought it over with wrinkled brow, then, with a doubtful manner, handed it to his son.

As the boy glanced at the signature he thought at first that he must be dreaming. The letter was signed, simply, "Melba." It was the first time he had ever seen that handwriting. From the signature he glanced at the faces on the wall. There was no doubt about it; the handwriting belonged to the face.

Eagerly he devoured the letter. One phrase translated him to the seventh heaven. It said:

"You have enjoyed the companionship of our dear son for twenty-three years; is it not now my turn?"

The boy glanced at his father. Involuntarily he clasped his hands. His father answered, gently:

"Yes, my boy; go, if you wish."

Even now it was hard for him to believe that all his dreams were coming true. In the joy that dazzled him he forgot all about his big red hands, his unruly hair, his rough clothing. All his preparations for the wonderful journey consisted merely in donning his best sheep-ranching clothes. His sombrero was fairly new, his boots well-fitting, his flannel shirt fresh and clean.

Put Him At His Ease.

She was expecting him at the great hotel where she stopped, where she had apartments that were like the suite of a princess in some palace. He was near dying from excitement and embarrassment; but she was more gracious than any princess in any fairy tale. She came toward him with both hands outstretched, smiling happily, kissed him once, and then, with the intuition of a mother who is a woman of the world, exerted herself to put him at his ease.

In a few moments he felt that he had nothing to fear. It was just as it had been in his dreams. She was his real mother; what she had was his; there was perfect frankness between them. He was instantly a part of her world, as though no such thing as a sheep ranch existed. All the outer marks of his new position were supplied as a matter of course. She made it all so easy and natural for him that he adored her.

The dreams had come true. He went on long automobile drives with her. When she sang in the theatre he sat in a box near the stage. Because he was her son all her friends made much of him.

He wrote to his father of all these wonders, and of their plans for the future. She had settled an income upon him, an income sufficient for a prince. He was to travel when she travelled. She was more than a Fairy Mother—she was his mother.

That is how it happened; and now the news had been spread broadcast how, in London, George Nesbitt Armstrong, son of Melba, met the young girl of his dreams—Miss Ruby Otway—loved her with his mother's full approval, was loved by her, and married her.

Read all the fairy stories ever printed, then ask yourself in what way the most charming of them are superior to this one of real life of Melba and her son who was a sheep herder.

MISS RUBY OTWAY, THE BEAUTIFUL ENGLISH BRIDE OF GEORGE NESBITT ARMSTRONG.

To Keep Us From "Falling Upstairs."

MOST persons at one time or another have had painful experiences as a result of running up or down unfamiliar flights of stairs. If the steps are either higher or lower than they have been accustomed to, only great caution saves them from ugly falls.

This lack of uniformity in the height of stair steps has moved the editor of the London Lancet to make some reasonable suggestions.

We have, for instance, standard gauges for railways and tramways, standard threads for various screws, standard sizes for boots, shoes and gloves, standard qualities for articles of food, standard weights and measures, coinage, and so on. But there are still some directions in which the need of a standard is not only indicated but is urgent. The desirability, for example, of standardising the steps of all staircases is seen in the fact that so often a fall on the staircase is due to the irregularity in the height of the steps.

A common cause of accident on the staircase is the kicking of the edge of a stair when ascending. In descending, also, an irregularity in one step may easily upset the equilibrium of a person. To the aged and infirm the descent of an irregularly stepped staircase is a source of terror. Yet how many staircases are constructed absolutely alike as regards the height of the steps? We should say very few; and not only is there little uniformity existing between different staircases, but the steps themselves in he same staircase are often irregular.

Staircases and the steps in them should be standardised; there should be uniformity of height and breadth, and in regard to the latter there should be room enough on the step to accommodate the whole foot from toe to heel, so that there is no undue call on the energies when ascending, as by going on tip-toe, so to speak, or any feeling of insecurity when descending by reason of there being only room for the heel.

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Can't be Happy off the Stage

FANNY WARD.

GOLDIE MOHR

MAY IRWIN.

MISS MARIE SHOTWELL.
(Photograph by Hall Studio.)

MRS. MINNIE MADDERN FISKE

The Strange Fascination of the Footlights Which Has Drawn Back Into Theatrical Life So Many Multi-Millionaire Women Who Would Rather Be Actresses Than Settle Down Into Tame Domestic Life and Motherhood.

THAT the wife of a multi-millionaire, a woman who is happily married and a mother, who has the money to gratify the most extreme tastes, even that of being the best dressed woman in the world, and leisure to seek such society as she wishes, and to travel to the end of the world, if she desire, has returned to the stage with its hard work, and its dressing rooms tiny and ill ventilated many of them as a convict's cell, its draughty wings and its interminable travel has set persons asking, "What is the fascination of the stage?"

What is the spell of the glowing crescent of lights that draws women to it as the flame the moth? What is the lurking, luring demon of the footlights which, having once seen, many follow to their moral destruction and even their death? Yes, their death, for did not Mrs. James Delaney shoot her husband and herself because he had forbidden her to return to the stage?

In the successful play, "The Chorus Lady," Rose Stahl, the star, says to the lover who would persuade her to leave the stage: "I've met more than one doll that's thrown a good man down just to get back to the bright lights. They talk a great deal about its being love for their art, but it's nothing but a hunch for the excitement. I'm no better than anybody else and I'm kind of afraid."

Peculiarly to the feminine mind does the fascination of the stage appeal, for the greatest of actors at times sicken of their roles and of the stage environment. Richard Mansfield's, "I hate the business of the theatre" is well known. Not so well is the story that J. K. Emmet latterly cancelled his engagements again and again from sheer disinclination for appearing before the glittering row of lights that so dazzles most feminine eyes.

"I loathe him!" he cried out one night an hour before the performance.

"Loathe whom?" he was asked.

"That grinning ape, Fritz," he answered. "He is a sickening ass—a chanting, dancing, romping, maudlin ass. I wont do him to-night. I am going to cancel. There is a book I want to read; I shall read it and forget that leering dog, Fritz."

When a man leaves the stage he almost never returns; when a woman leaves the stage she almost certainly returns.

When Fanny Ward left America, more than twelve years ago, she left behind an image which all the gilded youth of New York enshrined in their memories. She played a trickey elf named Cupid with Henry Dixey in "Adonis." She was small and dainty, and had a smile half innocent and half guileful. She looked very pretty as Cupid, and gay young men toasted her; but no dramatic instinct or yearning was suspected to exist beneath Cupid's white satin doublet, nor to flutter beneath his wings of marabout feathers.

Yet, after more the 12 years she returns from London. She is the wife of Diamond Jim Lewis, the multi-millionaire, whose wealth, represented by African holdings, he cannot himself compute with exactness. She returns—for what? To see her old home? To visit her old friends? To compare her present state of opulence with her former one of upper chorusdom and felicitate herself upon the contrast?

Not at all. She came back, with three maids, two automobiles, five dogs and a wardrobe that, wtih her jewels, cost a milloin dollars. It is far different from the departure of Fanny Ward. She returned to America to return to the stage. She is playing the star role in Hartley Manner's comedy, "A Marriage of Reason."

Asked why she left her luxurious home in London for the discomforts of incessant travel and the uncertainties of theatrical fortunes to the most gifted, she answered with a shrug and smile and four words, "Because I like it."

Almost in the same words replies Miss Marie Shotwell, who succeeded Miss Effie Shannon in "Daughters of Men." Miss Shotwell left the stage to marry Frank Hawley, a wealthy and distinguished civil engineer. They lived in London, where Mrs. Hawley's social position equalled her husband's in the world of engineering feats. They were happy. A daughter made their home yet more a centre of their especial universe. Yet, when Mr. Hawley went to Australia this Winter to fulfil a government contract, his wife remained behind in New York and secured a theatrical engagement. She had heard the call of the stage, had listened, and obeyed.

"My reasons for returning to the stage are many and varied, but uppermost is my love for the art. I am very happy in my choice."

When Miss Mabel Taliaferro, the winsome young woman who has been described as a "Maude Adams in appearance and a Duse in temperament" and who James A. Herne said was the cleverest child actress in the world married Frederic Thompson, the young amusement Napoleon who built the Hippodrome and brought Luna Park into being, she left the stage, but already her plans are forming to return to it. She will be Polly in "Polly of the Circus."

"It is because I want to do the best I can," was Mrs. Thompson's answer in girlishly plaintive tone to the question of why her return. "I am not conceited enough to say something great, but, at least, something good. I want to see what I can do."

Miss May Irwin retired from the stage full of honors, and with bank and rent roll so huge that she was accounted the richest actress in America. She owned a handsome home at No. 18 West Sixty-eight street, and an island named after her in the Thousand Islands, where she is building a redstone mansion strong enough to buffet the ice of Winter or the storms of Summer on the St. Lawrence.

It is to be known as Irwin Castle. There is a dock, where land a steam launch, a river yacht and a half dozen smaller craft that constitute the Irwin fleet. There is a bowling alley, and the sloping lawn is dotted with gay hammocks and rustic chairs. No actress probably owns so picturesque a Summer home. Business houses and apartment houses scattered about the island of Manhattan attest Miss Irwin's wealth; and yet, after a year's rest, she returned to the stage without any apparent reason. The reason which she gave, inadequate to the ordinary mind, was sufficient for herself.

"My days were filled with my interest in my two big boys, Harry and Walter, and in my business affairs. My tastes are very domestic, and there was plenty to occupy my time in the management of my home and in entertaining. But in the evening it was different. I grew restless; habit asserted itself. I wanted to hurry through dinner and get to the theatre. I even found myself wondering whether there would be a large house that night, until I remembered that there would be no receipts because there would be no house and no company, no play and no star. And then one feels the pangs of homesickness. She is in the throes of homesickness for the stage. And the chances are a hundred to one that she goes back. I did."

Like her sister, Miss Flo Irwin, who left the stage two years ago because of ill health, has returned to it. Her reason, the same.

Miss Grace Filkins left the stage to marry Lieutenant Commander Adolph Marix, who conducted the Maine inquiry. Her daughter had grown to womanhood before Mrs. Marix, having heard the call of the stage, first softly, then louder and louder as the years passed, heeded it at last and returned to the stage. She distinguished herself in "Gallops" and in "The Daughters of Men," in which she played a character that was founded, it is said, on that of Mrs. Howard Gould, and is not flattering to her who was once Miss Katherine Clemmons, actress. She is now in the support of Miss Eleanor Robson.

Miss Julia Dean married Orme Caldara, her leading man, and left the stage, but only for three months. In "The Marriage of Reason," she has speedily returned to it.

"The reason for my return to the stage?" she mused. "Perhaps it is the desire to be independent, to have your own check book."

Mrs. Minnie Maddern Fiske retired from the stage and led an exclusively domestic and social life for two years. When she returned to the stage it was at her husband's desire. Fortunately for the American stage he entertained the opinion that here was a talent too great to be hidden.

Miss Grace Kimball thought when she married Mr. Charles Maguire, a successful attorney, that she had turned her back forever upon the stage. But it called and she turned to look back, by way of reverie at least, and the actress who thinks much upon the footlights is lost to domesticity. Miss Kimball is again upon the boards.

Beautiful Jobyna Howland, whom Charles Dana Gibson delighted to honor by reproducing her in his drawings of high bred beauties, forsook the stage when she married Arthur Stringer, the poet and novelist. But life in New York in the Winter and at her husband's Summer home at Windsor, Ont., while happy, lacked the element of fulness. It was rounded out and rendered idyllic by six evening performances and two matinees a week. Miss Howland joined Miss Dressler in her starring tour and has since been leading woman for McIntyre and Heath.

Jaguarina, the handsome swordswoman, who for many years was a California favorite, married Wilbur Bates ten years ago. Their marriage terminated in Mrs. Bates' suit for divorce last year. She has returned to the stage, using her family name, Ella Hatwell, that in which she began her career as a child actress with John Ellsler and John B. McCullough. Mrs. Bates' muscular development in her years as a swordswoman served her well, for she has been cast by Liebler & Co. for the part of the porteress, in "The Vanderbilt Cup" travesty, of the Hotel Martha Washington.

Her answer to the riddle of the lure of the stage is the grim one, "Necessity."

Miss Minnie Seligman, who after her marriage to Robert Fulton Cutting, came back to the boards, said: "I am back on the stage for all time. I shall not leave again until the curtain has rung down upon the life drama. It isn't the bright lights, nor the music, nor the salary, nor the pretty clothes, that constitute the call of the stage. It is hunger for the vast, impersonal friendliness, manifested by the applause, of audiences."

Novel indeed was the reason given by the ex-chorus girl Goldie Mohr Wood for her return to the stage. She is attracting a certain kind of ephemeral curiosity by the fact that she married an aged semi-millionaire, and since his death has quarrelled with his children, and declares that although she inherited $150,000, she has returned to the tinsel and the grease-paints and the footlights to spite them, especially to annoy that particularly exclusive Miss Wood, whom the second Mrs. Wood overheard saying: "It isn't possible that he has given her the family jewels. What! Mamma's diamonds on that person!"

Mrs. Wood sends all the playbills and all the cartoons showing her in exaggerated stage clothes to this same exclusive Miss Wood.

MABEL TALIAFERRO

JOBYNA HOWLAND.

How to Look After Your Shoes.

THERE is little we can be more thankful for than to be possessed with knowledge which will help us out of a difficulty. Shoes are always demanding our consideration. If it is not because they are wet—after a rainy day's use—it is because they are becoming worn or unshapely, which is very often caused by the improper care we bestow on them.

First of all, good shoes are always the most economical in the long run. The old saying that "there is nothing like leather" is true enough of good leather, but the cheap kinds are not worth much. One pair of good quality shoes will outlast two pairs of inferior ones. It is well to have several pairs in use, so that each one may be worn alternately, and thus give the shoes a rest, which is quite as necessary to the well-being of the foot-gear as of the owner. So never wear, nor let your husband wear, the same pair of shoes two days running if you can possibly help it—let them have a rest and airing.

If one cannot afford several pairs, at least two are necessary, and one can get along comfortably with these and a pair of house shoes.

Another point to be remembered is that shoes wear longer and better if kept for some time before using—a week or a month if possible—so see that your "hubby" has his new boots before the old ones are worn out.

The next point is the daily care of the shoes. As each one is taken off it should be stretched and pulled a little and a shoe tree inserted. This last, which is a most important addition toward prolonging the life of the footwear, will get rid of the creases which are bound to be formed by the action of the foot.

Failing a shoe tree, stuffing tightly with paper will answer very well, or even a bag filled with sand, sawdust or bran, so long as it is pushed up tightly into the front part of the shoe.

It is, however, in the injudicious management of shoes when wet that so much harm may be done. The most natural action is to place the damp, or possibly soaked, boots near the fire, perhaps not too near, but near enough to cause the steam to rise. This steaming we possibly regard with satisfaction, but it is in fact that which is injuring the leather by the rapid evaporation.

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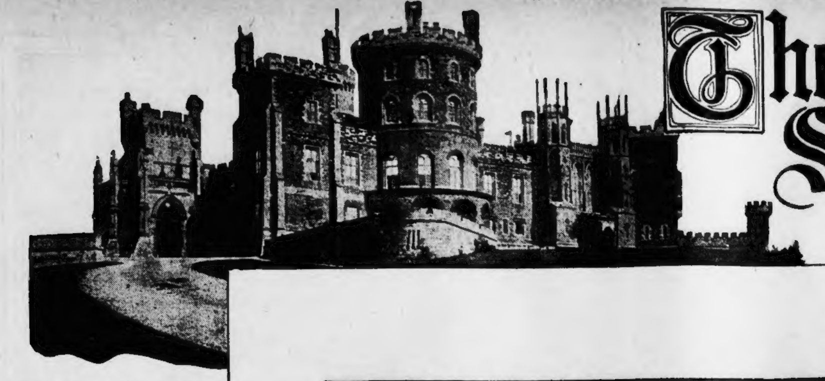
The Real True Shakespeare Found at Last?

And Was It as German Scholarship Attempts to Prove, None Other Than the Polished, Travelled and Distinguished Earl of Rutland, the Friend of the Gentle Sir Philip Sidney and One of the Most Brilliant Ornaments of the Golden Age of Elizabeth?



Belvoir Castle, in Whose Archives There Are Hidden Secrets Which Could Reveal the Truth About Shakespeare.

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LADY MARJORIE MANNERS, THE DAUGHTER OF THE PRESENT DUKE OF RUTLAND, THE WINSOME AND FAMOUSLY BEAUTIFUL 20TH CENTURY KINSWOMAN OF THE CELEBRATED EARL OF THE 16TH CENTURY, WHO MAY BE THE IMMORTAL SHAKESPEARE.

ONE of the greatest German scholars has advanced the strongest argument yet put forth to prove that another person than William Shakespeare wrote the plays which bear the latter's name. This time it is not Bacon.

The scholar is Dr. Karl Bleibtreu, and the author of the plays, according to his argument, is Roger, Earl of Rutland, a great nobleman and patron of letters of the Elizabethan age.

The inherent improbability that William Shakespeare, of Stratford-on-Avon, wrote the plays attributed to him has long been admitted by many, probably the majority of Shakespearean scholars. Shakespeare was the son of a butcher, little more than a peasant in social station. The boy had a brief and, even for that age, ridiculously imperfect education at a village school. He was an inattentive and unruly boy, playing truant, staying away from church on Sundays and poaching in the squire's park.

At an early age he became connected with the stage in an inferior capacity and afterwards he was an actor and a stage manager. This was an occupation requiring a very moderate degree of ability and education in that age, when the representation of a castle upon the stage was indicated by a board bearing the notice, "Here is the castle," every other scene being represented with equal facility. The arduous part of the work consisted in maintaining some kind of discipline among the actors, who were an unspeakably disreputable lot and in bringing them to the performances in a reasonable state of sobriety. Trouble was also experienced in keeping order among the spectators in the pit, who were a villainous crowd with very nasty habits. The few persons of gentle birth who attended the performance sat upon the stage and corrected the actors whenever they thought it desirable.

The occupation of the stage manager, it will be seen, was one that required little artistic skill or education, but, on the other hand, one that kept him very busy, which may also be said of a successful bartender's labors to-day. It left the stage manager little time for study or literary work, and was in its nature extremely unfavorable to such pursuits. Moreover, the references to Shakespeare's life show that he was a man of very intemperate habits, who was probably intoxicated three or four nights out of every week. He spent all the time he could spare from his stage work in the Mermaid Tavern and other low taverns, which were very numerous in London, and which were kept open all night, while murder and all sorts of villanies were perpetrated.

It is hardly conceivable that a man of Shakespeare's early life, education, occupation and daily habits should have written an enormous series of plays, which not only exhibit the profoundest knowledge of human character and the loftiest poetical fancy ever shown by man, but also a perfect familiarity with court life and the manners of good society and a vast knowledge of history, law, arts, sciences, the classics, geology, philosophy and many other subjects. The dramatist's works prove the author to have been one of the most cultivated men of his time, and yet we know that William Shakespeare was an uneducated boor and drunkard.

The foregoing facts have led to several attempts to prove that other persons of the Elizabethan age wrote Shakespeare's plays. Noteworthy was the effort to fix their authorship upon Francis Bacon, the philosopher, an effort aided by the curious cipher theory of Mr. Ignatius Donnelly, the American Congressman. These attempts have been dismissed as unsatisfactory by Shakespearean scholars.

Nevertheless the inherent improbability that William Shakespeare wrote the plays attributed to him remains quite unaffected. A new effort to prove their authorship by some other person is therefore entitled to attention. Dr. Karl Bleibtreu, who undertakes to furnish this proof, is one of the greatest contemporary German writers on literature and history, and it must be remembered that Germany has produced the foremost Shakespearean scholars. Dr. Bleibtreu is the author of many valuable works, including "A History of English Literature," "Cromwell at Marston Moor" and "The Byron Secret."

Roger Manners, Earl of Rutland, the man to whom Dr. Bleibtreu ascribes all the plays attributed to William Shakespeare, was born on October 6, 1576, and was the son-in-law of Sir Phillip Sidney, the mirror of chivalry. Romance clusters about the Manners family. It was one member of it who married the famous Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall, through whom the Rutlands became the heirs of the Vernon family.

Interest is added to Dr. Bleibtren's theory by the fact that his author has Welshmen descendants living in England to-day. The head of the family is the present Duke of Rutland, who is well known to Americans as the father of the beautiful Lady Marjorie Manners. The Duke possesses two of the most beautiful old country places in England—Belvoir Castle and Haddon Hall. Dr. Bleibtreu believes that among the family archives at these places documents will be found proving absolutely that Roger, Earl of Rutland, wrote the Shakespearean plays.

Dr. Bleibtreu starts by taking up the intimate knowledge of various countries—especially France, Italy and Denmark—which the author of the plays shows. Shakespeare, who spent most of his time drinking in the Mermaid Tavern, and who, according to all evidence, never left England, could not have obtained this knowledge. On the other hand, the Earl of Rutland was a great traveler. He started on a grand tour of Europe in 1596. He visited France and Italy and lived for considerable periods in Verona, Venice, Mantua, Rome, Milan and Padua. This would account for the local knowledge displayed in "The Two Gentlemen of Verona," "Romeo and Juliet," "The Merchant of Venice" and other plays of which the scenes are laid in Italy.

In many of the plays the author shows a remarkably accurate knowledge of the principles and phraseology of English and foreign law. There is no evidence that Shakespeare ever studied anything. The Earl of Rutland was a law student at the University of Padua, and after his return to England he became a student at Gray's Inn, London, where his name is still inscribed.

In "The Tempest" the author shows a familiarity with tropical scenery and climatic conditions. How could a man whose days and nights were passed at the Mermaid Tavern in London acquire this knowledge? The Earl of Rutland accompanied the Earl of Essex in his expedition to the Azores, where they suffered many shipwrecks and gained experience which furnishes the beautiful setting and imagery of this play.

The author of the plays makes frequent references to the peculiar Dutch scenery, and its Dutch domestic life, which would hardly have occurred to an Englishman who had not seen these things. The Earl of Rutland fought with Sidney in Holland against the Spaniards.

From 1601 to 1603 no single Shakespearean play appeared. The Earl of Rutland was not at liberty in those years; in 1601 he was sentenced to lifelong imprisonment, but only remained in prison till 1603. This is very significant.

In 1603 the Earl went to Denmark to attend the baptism of the Danish Crown Prince as the representative of King James I. He thereby gained the local color and remarkable knowledge of Denmark which appear in "Hamlet." This visit to the royal family accounts for the detailed description of the Castle of Elsinore and its terraces which is given in "Hamlet." Shakespeare, the stage manager, never went to Denmark, and if he had done so he would hardly have been a guest at the royal palace.

It is singular that an Englishman living in an age when historical learning was meagre should have had a considerable knowledge of ancient Danish history. This could only have been acquired from educated Danes. Dr. Bleibtreu shows that the Earl of Rutland, while at Elsinore, actually met the Barons Guildenstern and Rosencrans, two characters whose names appear in "Hamlet." Moreover, he had been a fellow-student at Padua of the young Baron Rosencrans.

The last Shakespearean dramas, "Coriolanus" and "The Tempest," appeared in 1612, and the Earl of Rutland died on June 26 of that year. Dr. Bleibtreu considers the fact that the dramas ceased in the year the Earl died as the most convincing evidence of all that he wrote them, because William Shakespeare himself lived until 1616.

Dr Bleibtren gives in detail the reasons which led the Earl of Rutland to conceal his authorship under another's name. The stage was extremely disreputable in those days, and persons of gentle birth never descended to playwriting, although they frequently wrote poetry. It would have caused a tremendous scandal if a very great nobleman had turned playwright. Moreover, the author dealt very largely with historical subjects, many of them directly connected with the reign in which he lived. For a man in the Earl's position to have done this would have immediately excited the attention of the Queen and of his enemies at court. That was a time when the smallest error of judgment or false move in what corresponded to our political life might have led to execution at the Tower of London. The pathetic description of the downfall of Cardinal Wolsey, under Henry VIII., Queen Elizabeth's father, where the Cardinal says:

> Had I but served my God with half the zeal
> I served my King, He would not in mine age
> Have left me naked to mine enemies

would surely have angered the reigning Queen.

These historical references alone seem to furnish an ample reason why the Earl of Rutland chose to conceal his identity, but Dr. Bleibtreu gives many others.

The Earl found it safer to conceal himself behind the personality of the obscure and somewhat disreputable William Shakespeare than to publish his works anonymously or pseudonymously. At least that is the view of Dr. Bleibtreu.

HOW MEN REALLY PROPOSE.

What a Harvard Professor Who Has Been Making a Scientific Study of Proposals Has Discovered.

THE impassioned declarations of love and proposals of marriage as made by the actor had always impressed him as being most grotesquely overdrawn. He therefore instituted some quiet inquiries among his married friends for the purpose of ascertaining whether any of these melodramatic manifestations had occurred at the proposing time. Herewith is given the result of these investigations, presented in numbered instances:

Case No. 1—Young man, head clerk in large warehouse, had been keeping company with a girl for a year and a half. Took a walk with her one Saturday afternoon.

"Gertie," he said to her suddenly, after they'd been looking at some rugs in a furniture shop, "the old man has given me an increase of salary. I'm now getting $25 a week. We ought to be able to scramble along on that, hadn't we?"

"Why," replied Gertie, quite off-hand, "there are lots of folks living here in Boston, and living comfortably, on a great deal less than $25 a week, and if"——

Whereupon the date was immediately set.

Case No. 2—Young man, junior clerk in the real estate business, had been keeping company with her for about eight months. There were two or three others in the field against him. They were at the play one night, and between the first and second acts he leaned over and said to her:

"Annie, how do I stand with you?"

"Now pl-lease, don't get sentimental," she replied archly.

"But," he persisted, "I'm anxious to find out, Annie. You know how you stand with me—all right, don't you? Well, wouldn't it be only the fair thing for you to tell me how I stand with you?"

"Oh, I don't know that you have any occasion to worry," she replied, and that, of course, was good enough for him.

Case No. 3.—Young man, stenographer in a shipping office, had been calling upon a girl about three times a week, taking her out with considerable regularity, and so on, for a period covering about a year. He was sitting with her in the drawing-room one evening when she said to him:

"Guess who ran away and got married last week? Clara Smith!"

"Is that so?" he said.

That "started something" that terminated successfully, and the young couple didn't have to run away, either.

Case No. 4.—Young lawyer, more or less briefless, had been quite a frequent caller at the home of a wealthy girl for more than two years. Good-looking young fellow, and the girl was handsome, too, in addition to enjoying a comfortable income. They were part of a chaperoned party at a play one night. The play depicted a family suddenly plunged from wealth to comparative poverty.

"Without desiring to appear mean or cruel," he said to her, with the greatest outspokenness, "I wish something of that kind would happen to you."

"What a very friendly wish!" she exclaimed. "Why, pray?" she asked, although, of course, she understood him very well.

"Because then, my dear," he quickly made answer, "I wouldn't feel such a muff if I asked you to share what I have with me."

"Oh, is that it?" said she, gazing very sweetly into his eyes. "Well, you know very well, Jack, that I should never consider you a muff, as you say so horridly, under any circumstances, no matter what you did; and it is mean of you to reproach me for not being poor. I can't help it, can I?"

This looked good enough to the young lawyer, and it was. They'd decided upon the time before the end of that week.

Case No. 5.—Young man, another lawyer, had been calling and sending her flowers and taking her out pretty often for something less than a year. One evening they were taking a trolley ride when they passed a block of flats in course of construction and almost completed.

"I saw the plans of those flats a few days ago," he said, nonchalantly. "They're very nice—best arranged I ever saw. The rent is moderate, too, only thirty dollars a month. Shall we get off and have a look at them?"

"I don't mind," said she.

So they got off the car and went through the flats, and while they were standing in one of the rooms he walked right over to her, put his arms around her waist and said to her:

"Alice, why should we not take one of these flats? You know how badly I want you."

She didn't take his arm away. It was all right. They fixed upon the day then and there.

Case No. 6.—Gay bachelor of thirty-six, rather confirmed in it, had been captivated by the good breeding, high character and strong sense as well as beauty of his typewritist. Made up his mind that he'd like to marry her, although he wasn't very certain about her having him, in spite of his pretty moderate looks and his considerable business prosperity. One day he touched the electric button that summoned her into his private office for a dictation. She appeared promptly, notebook in hand.

"Er—I didn't call to dictate to you to-day, Miss H——" he said to her, rising from his seat and bowing to her most deferentially as he placed a chair for her, "I want to ask you if you will marry me."

She appeared overwhelmed, naturally enough, but she didn't say anything about it being "so sudden." She respected the man, and more than liked him. She said "Yes" before leaving the private office, and they're one of the happiest pairs in New York.

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TERRORIST BOMBS HIDDEN IN FLOWER BOUQUETS, IN GORGEOUS VASES AND DROPPED FROM WOMEN'S SKIRTS.

How Grand Dukes, Princes, Prime Ministers and Men of Rank Are Being Assassinated By Bombs and Pistols In the Hands of Young Women Revolutionists.

Partial List of Wholesale Assassinations Already Accomplished by Terrorists.

Apr. 15, 1902—Minister of Interior SIPYAGIN assassinated at Kieff.
May, 1903—GEN. BOGDANOVICH, Governor of Ufa, blown up by bomb.
June, 1903—President of Court of Assizes at Ufa shot and killed.
June 16, 1904—GOV.-GEN. BOBRIKOFF, of Finland, shot and killed at Helsingfors.
July 12, 1904—VICE-GOVERNOR of Elizabetpol, shot and killed at Agdshabent.
July 28, 1904—M. VON PLEHVE, Minister of the Interior, killed by bomb in St. Petersburg.
Aug. 1, 1904—LIEUT.-GEN. BOGUSLAVSKY, Chief Administrator in the Caucasus, shot and killed.
Dec. 26, 1904—CHIEF OF POLICE SAKHAROFF, shot and killed at Shusha.
Jan. 19, 1905—NICHOLAS II., CZAR OF RUSSIA, had marvellous escape from assassination in chapel on the Neva at St. Petersburg while witnessing religious ceremony.
Feb. 6, 1905—SOISALON SOININEN, Procurator-General of Finland, shot and killed at Helsingfors.
Feb. 8, 1905—PROCURATOR JOHNSON, of the Finnish Senate, assassinated at Helsingfors.
Feb. 17, 1905—GRAND DUKE SERGIUS, uncle of Czar, blown up by bomb in Kremlin at Moscow.
May 3, 1905—GEN. COUNT IGNATIEFF, Governor of Kieff, shot and killed at Kieff.
May 18, 1905—MAJ.-GEN. SOKOLOVSKY, new Governor-General of Ufa, shot and killed at Ufa.
May 24, 1905—PRINCE NAKASHIDZE, Governor of Baku, blown up by bomb at Baku.
May, 1905—CHIEF OF POLICE of Siedlce, Poland, killed by bomb.
July 4, 1905—MAJ.-GEN COUNT SHUVALOFF, Prefect of Police at Moscow, shot and killed at Moscow.
Oct. 12, 1905—ASSISTANT CHIEF OF POLICE OSSOVSKY, shot and killed at Kishineff.
COL[illegible] VON GITTMAN, chief of [illegible]ation, shot and killed at Kr[illegible]noyarsk, Eastern Siberia.
Dec. 1, 1905—LI[illegible]T.-GEN. SAKHAROFF, former Minister of War, shot and killed at [illegible]
Dec. 11, 1905—AU[illegible]UST VON NRENIN[illegible], assistant district chief of Courland, murdered and thrown to dogs near Riga.
Jan. 7, 1906—M. LUZHENOFFSKY, chief of secret police, shot and killed at Tamboff.
Jan. 28, 1906—GEN. KHVOSTOFF, Governor of Chernigoff, terribly wounded by bomb at Chernigoff.
Feb. 18, 1906—GEN. GRIAZNOFF, chief of staff of Viceroy of the Caucasus, blown up by bomb at Tiflis.
April 5, 1906—M. SLEPTSOFF, Governor of [illegible], blown up by bomb in [illegible].
May 6, 1906—ADMIRAL DUBASSOFF, Governor-General of Moscow, blown up by bomb and terribly wounded in Moscow.
May 14, 1906—VICE-ADMIRAL KUZMICH, commander of the port of St. Petersburg, stabbed to death at St. Petersburg. POLICE CAPTAIN KONSTANTINOFF and an aide to the police blown up by bombs in Warsaw.
May 21, 1906—COUNT KELLER, nephew of Lieut.-Gen. Count Keller, blown up by bomb and seriously hurt at Kalisz, Poland. WILLIAM H. STUART, American Vice-Consul at Batoum, shot and killed at Batoum.
May 26, 1906—PROF. BADETSKI shot killed at Tula. M. LEPEVER, chief engineer of Caucasus Railway, shot and killed at Tiflis. CAPTAIN OF POLICE SHAKILO, shot and killed at Grodno.
May 27, 1906—GEN. NEPLUEFF, commander of Sebastopol fortress, the chief of police and over 100 wounded, and 11 killed by a bomb at Sebastopol. GOV. SHATOLOFF of St. Petersburg prison, shot and killed in St. Petersburg.
May 30, 1906—GOV.-GEN. ALIKHANOFF, blown up by bomb and terribly wounded at Dorjeh, Trans-Caucasia.
June 11, 1906—MAYOR and the CHIEF OF GOVERNOR'S OFFICE, shot and killed in Siedlce, Poland.
June 26, 1906—POLICE CHIEF and assistant shot and killed at Plotzk, Russian Poland.
July 12, 1906—VICE-ADMIRAL CHUKNIN, commander of Black Sea fleet, shot and killed at Sebastopol.
July 16, 1906—GEN. KOZLOFF, of headquarters staff, shot and killed in Peterhof Park.
July 29, 1906—GEN. HUCAT, chief of frontier guard, and GEN. WHITENBERG, chief of Warsaw customs service, and two officials shot and killed.
July 31, 1906—DEPUTY HERZENSTEIN, shot and killed at home near Helsingfors. COL. NATAROFF and many other army officers killed by mutineers at Sveaborg fort, near Helsingfors.
Aug. 1, 1906—CAPT. RODIONOFF, CAPT. DOBREWELSKY, CAPT. SCHUMOFF and CAPT. STOYANOVSKI, killed with many other naval officers, and REAR ADMIRAL BONCLEMSCHEFF, CAPT. KRINITSKI, CAPT. PATON and scores of others wounded in Cronstadt revolutionary riots.
MAJ.-GEN. MARKGRAFFSKY, of the Gendarmerie, shot and killed in Warsaw.
Aug. 2, 1906—GOV. BLOCK, of Samara Province, blown up by bomb in Samara.
Aug. 12, 1906—GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS nearly killed by bullets fired at him at Krasnoye-Selo review.
Aug. 15, 1906—GOV.-GEN. SKALLON, of Warsaw, blown up by bomb and seriously injured at Warsaw.
Aug. 25, 1906—PRINCE NAKASHIDZE. M. KHVOSTOFF, former Governor of Penza. GEN. ZAMEATIN, Premier Stolypin's personal secretary. COL. FRIEDBOFF, chief of the Premier's guard. COURT CHAMBERLAIN DAVIDOFF. COURT CHAMBERLAIN VORONIN. M. DURASSOFF, aide to the Emperor, and 22 others killed by bomb in Premier Stolypin's house, near St. Petersburg, in attempt on his life.
Aug. 26, 1906—GEN. MINN, adjutant to the Czar, shot and killed at Peterhof.
Aug. 27, 1906—GEN. VON LIARLIARSKY, acting military Governor of Warsaw, shot and killed at Warsaw.
Aug. 28, 1906—Sixteen guests at a wedding reception in Usocha, were killed or wounded.
Sept. 2, 1906—GEN. TUMENOFF, commander of garrison in Warsaw, wounded by five revolutionaries. Two policemen killed and an officer mortally wounded.
Sept. 15, 1906—GEN. DMITRI FEODOROVICH TREPOFF, Commandant of the Imperial Palace, died at 6 p.m., in his villa at Peterhof, probably victim of assassin.
Sept. 28, 1906—GEN. NICOLAIEFF, of the artillery, stationed in Warsaw, suddenly surrounded by assassins and shot dead.
Oct. 4, 1906—CAPT. DYANKOWSKY, assassinated in the barracks at Moscow by an unknown youth.
Oct. 4, 1906—An unidentified assassin threw a bomb at Gen. Starynkevitch, wounding him in the hand and leg.
Dec. 15, 1906—ADMIRAL DUBASSOFF, Gov.-General of Moscow, was wounded by ten shots and two bombs hurled at him by an assassin, who escaped.
Jan. 3, 1907—MAJOR-GENERAL VLADIMIR VONDER LAUNITZ, prefect of police at St. Petersburg, was shot by a student, while attending the consecration of Institute Chapel.
Jan. 8, 1907—LIEUT. GENERAL VLADIMIR PAVLOFF, Military Procurator, was killed by an assassin in St. Petersburg.
Jan. 16, 1907—COLONEL PATKO ANDRIEFF, commander of gendarmes, was killed by an assassin while riding in the streets of Lodz.

Mlle. Zenaide Kanoplianikoff, the Terrorist Daughter of a Russian General, Who Was Executed for the Murder of General Minn—With an Outline of One of the Bombs Found in Her Trunk.

The Costly Gilded Vase Containing the Dynamite Which Destroyed the Country House of Premier Stolypin, of Russia.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 23.

THE new move of the Terrorists in appointing young women to execute their sentences of death has disconcerted the Russian police. Sometimes it is from the gloved hand of a fashionably dressed, pretty girl, sometimes from under the skirts of a woman disguised as a tourist that the bomb is thrown. No one knows who the Terrorists are; every stranger may be an assassin.

In the past few months more than 300 men and women of high rank and in public life have been killed by Terrorist bombs. It is known that sentence of death has been passed upon all Government officials of prominence. These men and their households live in a horror of uncertainty which is almost beyond human imagination.

Beyond the Czar, his Ministry, the Governors of provinces and the chiefs of the secret police, Russia herself only vaguely realizes how she is being eaten alive by the myriad maggots of revolution.

America, even the rest of Europe, has no adequate conception of the desperate situation of the existing Government, of the present almost absolute reign of the spirit that seeks to right Russia's wrongs with the deadly bomb in all sorts of fantastic disguises, wielded by all sorts of persons—even young girls.

After a three months' tour of the principal revolutionary centres I have returned to the Czar's capital in a state of amazement that his Government continues to exist.

Armed with a special permit and guarded by soldiers, I have travelled through the Baltic provinces—where the revolutionists are masters—to Warsaw and the Caspian regions, to Moscow and through the country to the north of the ancient capital—and have visited the scenes of most of the disasters wrought by bombs, bullets and the torch during the last two years of the terror.

Throughout all these regions revolution is in every workman's house, in the hut of every peasant, deep planted in the soil itself. Revolution is the hardiest, thriftiest plant on Russian soil to-day. In attempting to root out and destroy it the short-sighted officials of the Government, by their illogical and contradictory acts, spread it more and more.

The harvest is bombs—yet there are not enough of these to fill the hands of those eager to hurl them, even with the certainty of sacrificing their own lives.

These "Red Terror" zealots for the cause of freedom—volunteers of both sexes, of all ages and from all classes—have reached that climax of fanaticism which ignores consideration of personal safety.

"See that the bomb does its work," that is their motto now, and the whole of it.

One instance of this—the most amazingly significant of recent acts by Terrorists—I would have witnessed had I been one day further advanced on my tour. This was the destruction of the country villa of Premier Alexander Stolypin during an official reception, in which the Premier's daughter and twenty-seven others were killed and a large number injured.

Up to the moment that the ingeniously disguised infernal machine exploded the scene was as free from any suspicion of danger as would have been a similar reception held at the country residence of Secretary Elihu Root, of President Roosevelt's Cabinet.

All those in attendance were either persons of reputation and distinction or wore uniforms of men in the Government service. The grounds were well guarded; no one who gained admittance was even challenged or questioned at the gates.

I reached the scene in time to see all the havoc wrought by that bomb—the mangled bodies of the dead ranged upon the grass of the lawn beside a casket containing the remains of General Zameatin, personal secretary to the Premier; the shattered walls of the villa, and the wreck of the carriage in which the uniformed assassins had been carried to the villa's main entrance.

The photographs which I am sending by this mail tell a graphic story of the destructiveness of this one bomb—which, though it killed its thrower and the Premier's daughter, miraculously failed to injure its chief target, the Premier himself.

There was no conflict in the reports of eyewitnesses of that day's disaster. In accepting his appointment as Chief of the Czar's Cabinet, Stolypin had realized that he was marked for assassination; but doubtless he never felt safer than on this day, in his quiet country residence, surrounded by the members of his family and distinguished guests whom he knew to be his friends, knowing also that no suspicious character would be allowed to approach even the outer gates.

All of the expected guests had arrived. The Premier had received them in the large reception room entered from an anteroom on the ground floor, while three of his secretaries worked in the adjoining room and his daughter and little son played at their games in an apartment directly above the reception room.

While the Premier talked with his guests in the reception room and the secretaries were busy with their accustomed task and the children played peacefully upstairs, the porter in his lodge just inside the door next the anteroom, the policeman just outside the door and the police sergeant standing beside the driveway, twenty yards distant from the entrance, were all alert to scrutinize—perhaps to question—any late comers.

It was to be expected that other officials and messengers on special business for the Premier might arrive at any time. The police sergeant says that this fact was in his mind when a landau rolled briskly up the drive. Noticing that one of the occupants of the carriage wore the uniform of an officer of gendarmes and the other two the livery of functionaries of the Ministry of the Interior, the police sergeant permitted the vehicle to pass unchallenged.

But as it rolled up to the villa entrance he followed at a distance of a few yards. He heard the occupants of the landau talking together and laughing gayly as the carriage stopped and they got out. One of them carried a beautifully gilded vase. It was nearly a foot high and appeared to be of great value.

"Ah," thought the police sergeant, "a gift for the Little Father's chief counsellor."

Still talking and laughing, the man with the gilded vase and his two companions mounted the steps, passed by the policeman on guard at the door without appearing aware of his existence—although the policeman gave them a salute due to official visitors—and disappeared within the anteroom.

In all this there was nothing to excite the slightest suspicion. From mere idle curiosity the police sergeant approached still a yard nearer to the landau of the latest arrivals, thinking he would inquire their names of the coachman.

In that same moment the coachman was dead—a mangled corpse—and the police sergeant was lying on the grass beside the driveway, with the shock of a terrific explosion splitting his head.

The whole front of the villa, reduced to split beams and splintered planks, was scattered about, and within the walls that still stood, some pinned down by beams of fallen ceilings and partition walls, he saw a mass of wounded, struggling people.

For the space of perhaps a full minute the shock of this horror paralyzed every tongue. Soon flames leaped up among the ruins, and then the shrieks of the injured rang out. But the sound of the explosion brought firemen to the scene so quickly that injury by fire was very slight.

The bodies of twenty-eight dead were carried out to the lawn, while an equal number of injured were removed to neighboring villas—including the Premier, in a state of collapse from shock, and his badly injured little son.

A crowd of spectators, seeking souvenirs, had to be dispersed by M. Makaroff, Assistant Minister of the Interior, who arrived within an hour and began an investigation of the tragedy.

Among the litter of the ruined anteroom was the mangled body of the man in uniform whom the police sergeant had seen entering the villa with the gilded vase in his arms. Upon the body was found a fragment of torn and blood-stained paper.

This proved to be the Premier's sentence of death passed on him by the chiefs of the Terrorists.

The mystery was solved!

This man and his companions had been chosen to assassinate the Premier. In order to gain entrance to the villa they had disguised themselves in the regular uniforms of an officer of gendarmes and of Ministry of the Interior attaches.

The gilded vase which one of them carried so cheerfully and ostentatiously contained the bomb designed to annihilate M. Stolypin.

Bits of it were found among the debris of the anteroom. Evidently the porter—now a bleeding corpse, lying among the ruins of his lodge—had questioned the arrivals embarrassingly, and finally the bearer of the bomb-laden vase, despairing of gaining admittance to the presence of the Premier, reckless of his own fate and that of his companions, and hoping that the Premier would not escape in a general disaster, had dashed the infernal machine at the reception room door.

Among the wounded were found the two companions of the chief assassin, who were placed under arrest, but were in no condition to give any information.

The dead body of the driver of the landau was found at a distance of nearly ten yards from the wrecked vehicle. The policeman on guard at the villa's entrance was killed by a falling timber.

Mlle. Stolypin, daughter of the Premier, was killed in the fall of the second story of the villa into the bomb-wrecked ruins of the ground floor. General Zameatin, personal secretary to the Premier, was killed by the collapse of the partition between his office and the reception room. Another secretary was wounded, the third escaping uninjured.

Among the distinguished persons in the reception room who were killed by the explosion of the bomb were: Count Chamberlain Davidoff; M. Khvostoff, former Governor of the province of Penza; Colonel Stein, who was chief of police at the Tauride Palace when the Duma held its sessions there.

Since my return to St. Petersburg I have learned that without doubt this was the same bomb within a gilded vase that was prepared for the destruction of the hated Trepoff, who cheated his enemies for a while, later to die in his bed from slow poison.

General Trepoff, however, had a narrow escape. A woman had been selected for the honor of presenting the vase to Trepoff, and was actually admitted with it to the anteroom of the General. But her nerve deserted her, owing to the length of time she was kept waiting, and she departed, carrying the vase with her.

This form of bomb is very expensive and difficult to prepare, so the one designed for Trepoff, upon his death was held in reserve for another victim. Next to Trepoff, Stolypin was most detested among the Ministers, owing to his "strong-handed" reform policy. Most aggravating of all, he defended the Czar's dismissal of the Duma.

The cables have given you details of the more sensational acts of the revolution terrorists, and you have been appalled at the long list of political assassinations and outrages committed during the last three years.

But not one-tenth part of the actual and widespread horrors have been mentioned in the reports permitted to trickle through the censors' fingers.

As I am writing this the Birshevaya Viedomosti, of St. Petersburg, publishes a summary compiled from official telegrams giving the following results for four days only:

"Eighty-eight private persons, eight soldiers, policemen and officials were killed in armed riots in different sections of the empire, the wounded being 1,400.

"In these four days there were 67 political hold-ups and 9 train robberies. Robberies were also perpetrated in 2 tramway offices, 3 banks, 2 mills, 7 churches, 17 vodka shops, 9 post offices and 5 stores and 23 private persons were held up and stripped of money and other valuables.

"In connection with these robberies 28 conflicts occurred and 58 arrests were made. The buildings destroyed by the revolutionaries during the same period (four days) included 2 mills, 7 country houses, 61 city houses, 15 peasants' huts and 3 important government buildings.

"In these same four days sentences of death were passed on 26 revolutionaries, and 17 were condemned to life imprisonment with hard labor. The total number of arrests made amounted to 348. Of revolutionary newspaper editors, 4 were fined and condemned to imprisonment. Disturbances made by convicts in the government prisons resulted in the death of 9 persons, the wounding of 14 and the escape of 11 prisoners."

The birth and death in its infancy of the Duma has passed the panic of the government on to the peasantry. All over the empire these poor, deluded people, for a moment intoxicated with the prospect of freedom, have become bandits with but one desire—to burn, pillage and kill.

They have no definite plans, only a blind fury to destroy.

Upon this fertile soil the revolutionary leaders are sowing the seed that soon will bear a harvest of intelligent revolt. No longer will these peasants and their sons submit to be driven away to die on foreign battle fields; the lives they have to give will be given in the overthrow of a government that has so long oppressed and deluded them.

The government itself has supplied the revolutionists with more eager missionaries than are needed to educate and disaffect every province in the empire. Last spring more than 25,000 of these were massed together at the St. Nicholas Fair, in Kahovka—but only for one day, as these wanderers are bearers of the government "wolf passport," which keeps them [illegible] on the road, because it forbids any person to [illegible] them lodging for more than one night.

[illegible] They are petty political offenders, who, being [illegible] in this way—made miserable, ragged and [illegible] tramps—have their revenge in scattering [illegible] revolutionary propaganda. Wherever they [illegible] they educate the ignorant peasantry for the service [illegible] the revolution, teaching them revolutionary songs [illegible] urging them on to all sorts of acts destructive of [illegible] and order. In this way fully 5,000,000 Russian [illegible] have already been brought into the revolutionary fold.

[illegible] this condition, terrible as it appears, is not by any means the chief cause of the government's panic. Russian peasants do not manufacture bombs, nor are bomb throwers recruited from the peasantry. What is paralyzing Russian officialdom is the amazing spread of the spirit of assassination among the educated classes, even in the class that rules.

Mlle. Zenaide Kanoplianikoff, the young girl who was recently executed in the Russian prison at Schlusselburg for the murder of General Minn, has been identified as Mlle. Titiana Leontieff, daughter of the Russian General Leontieff.

When the girl was arrested dangerous explosives were found in her work basket, and one of her trunks contained several of the most deadly bombs, constructed like those most favored by terrorists charged with the task of "removing" the Czar and his Ministers.

In spite of all her parents could do, from the year 1903 Mlle. Leontieff—then being educated in the university at Geneva, Switzerland, persisted in associating with Russian refugees. In 1904, with her mother, she was a frequent visitor at the Imperial court. She cultivated an acquaintance with General Trepoff, and was brought personally to the Dowager Empress. Suspected of attempting to poison the latter, she was arrested, but family influence enabled her to flee to Switzerland, where she took the name of Mlle. Kanoplianikoff.

Her connection with the terrorists grew closer and closer. When her father remonstrated with her she threatened to commit suicide. Following "Red Sunday" in St. Petersburg she threw in her lot absolutely with the terrorists.

When it was pointed out to her that this act must prove injurious to her father, she answered:

"With the fortunes of 130,000,000 Russians on one side, and my father on the other, how could I hesitate?"

After such an example is it any wonder that suspicion may attach itself even to those nearer the Czar? Living obscurely in London at the present time is Countess Olga Romanoff, eldest daughter of the murdered tyrant Duke Sergius, and therefore a cousin of the Czar, who had to flee her native country and break off all association with her family because she was one of the first suspected of having thrown from a window of her own house a bomb that killed several soldiers.

All the world shuddered when it heard how cossack soldiers and prison officials tortured Marie Spiridonova, the girl who avenged military outrages upon members of her own family and others in the government of Tamboff by shooting to death the vice-governor.

Stripped, beaten, kicked across the prison floor by cossack boots, branded with burning cigarettes, her fingers broken, one eye gouged out, finally exiled to Siberia—Marie Spiridonova's fate has made embryo assassins, tools for the terrorists, of hundreds of girls and boys, who eagerly await their opportunity to lose their own lives in laying low one more tyrant.

It has recently come to light that these youthful terrorists of both sexes are being regularly trained to throw bombs. The "Story of Marie Spiridonova" is printed and distributed among them to inflame them against the rulers and the soldiery. They are encouraged to address the peasantry in fiery speeches, and thus they are easily worked up to the sticking point of assassination.

It seems astonishing that the government should persist in acts calculated to further inflame this spirit of assassination. Only a few days ago a reward amounting to $5 was bestowed upon a sentry for shooting Mlle. Semenova because she appeared at a window of the prison in which she was confined when attracted by the entrance of a regiment of soldiers into the courtyard below.

This was the Semenovsky Regiment, and it was charged that Mlle. Semenova taunted them with the part they had played in suppressing the Moscow revolt.

That these girl terrorists may well be feared is indicated by the circumstances of the escape of Mlle. [illegible] Trestoff from Kazan City prison. Emerging from a tunnel which friends outside had dug, she shot three warders dead, wounding a fourth, and made good her escape.

Hardly a week passes but arrests are made even within the palaces of the Czar. Lackeys and guards are constantly being changed on suspicion that they may have become tainted with the prevalent bomb-throwing epidemic.

Nicholas and his family may no longer feel comparatively safe cruising aboard the Imperial yacht, for it is known that the terrorists have actually planted mines in the Gulf of Finland.

The report is also credited that the terrorists have purchased from an American inventor two dirigible balloons, from which they expect to drop explosives upon whichever of his palaces Nicholas happens to be occupying.

Not long ago, at Tsarskoe Selo, when the Czar was there, a mysterious automobile, running at high speed, crashed through the fence surrounding the palace, made a rapid trip through the grounds and was off again. This exploit was regarded as a rehearsal of a plan to use automobiles as a means of rushing assassins within bomb-throwing distance of the Czar.

The mechanical and scientific department of the terrorists' enterprise was never so active as at present. The latest improvement in bombs is to line them with cloth saturated with prussic acid. Ordinarily bursting bombs wound more persons than they kill. But with each fragment poisoned a mere scratch from it would mean death to the victim.

The ingenuity of the bomb-makers is also taxed to disguise their weapons in such a manner that they can be conveyed into the presence of the intended victim without exciting suspicion. The ornate, gilded vase of the Stolypin affair represents one successful effort—now, of course, no longer feasible.

The clock-work infernal machine, with its electric battery connection contained in an innocent-looking handbag, still does good service. The Orsini small round bomb with detonating studs concealed in an elaborate bouquet of flowers—the same that was used in the Madrid attempt to kill King Alfonso—is considered one of the best devices for festive occasions, where people would be expected to carry flowers.

A very dangerous and useful form of bomb—because it can be secreted in the desired spot and be trusted to explode at some later period—contains fulminate of mercury and sodium and water, the latter being separated from the former by layers of blotting paper. When the water soaks through the blotting paper, reaching the sodium, the machine explodes.

There is another chemical bomb operating on the same principle, except that cotton wool placed between green powder and sulphuric acid in a glass tube must absorb the acid before the explosion can occur.

The most elaborate of all Russian bombs contains a delicate device of glass which permits it to be fired by the eventual action of water on sodium.

Packed with scrap iron soaked in prussic acid any of these bombs can be depended on to serve their purpose, when once the assassin succeeds in placing them near enough to his victim.

Now that innocent-looking boys and girls, fanatic to the point of desiring to become martyrs, are enrolled among the terrorists, the bomb has come to be more dreaded by Russian tyrants than all other features of the revolution.

As seems natural, the self-sacrificing fervor of these boy and girl terrorist assassins has influenced to greater activity and daring their seniors in the work of exterminating those whom they consider tyrants.

Just now there is a new thrill of horror in official circles over the violent deaths within twenty-four hours of each other, of Lieutenant-General Vladimir Pavloff and Col. Patko Andrieff, who was commander of the gendarmes of the Lodz district.

The ease with which these assassinations are accomplished, often without hazard to the assassins, and the regularity of them, seems to paralyze the government, which has always the attitude of listening for the next explosion which will bring so much nearer its inevitable downfall.

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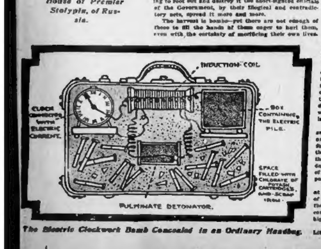
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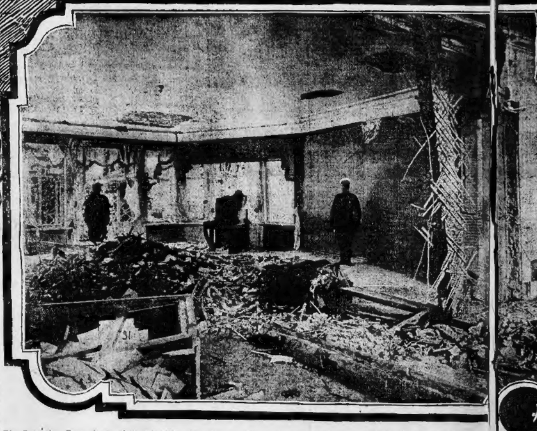

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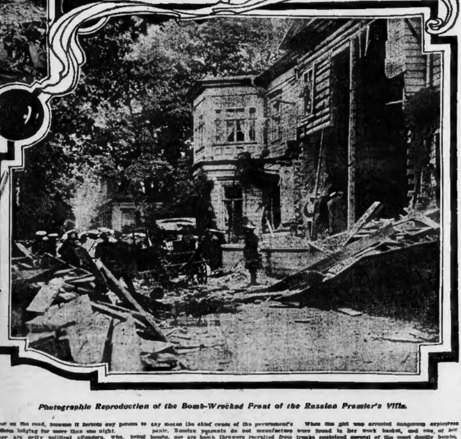

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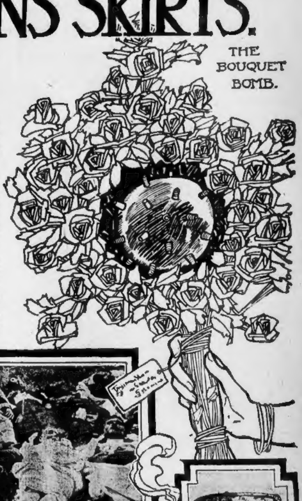

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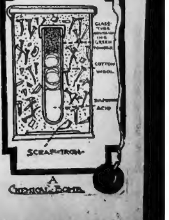

A CHEMICAL BOMB.

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MURDER? MYSTERY at a WEDDING SERENADE.

As the Pretty Bride Opened the Door to Bow to the Serenaders and the Light Flooded Her Figure Somebody Fired a Shot from the Darkness That Robbed the Waiting Bridegroom of His Bride.

SINCE Christmas Eve the quiet New England village of Ira, Vermont, has been terrorized as though a Frankenstein monster were stalking the country roads.

For over a month two young women have lain at death's door, stricken down by the diabolical hand of an unknown fiend.

One was a bride, snatched from her husband's arms in the first hour of his wedded bliss.

This singular crime occurred on Christmas Eve. On that evening pretty, winsome Mary Parker, the nineteen-year-old daughter of Farmer John C. Parker, was married to Charles Gilmore, the son of a neighboring farmer.

The Parker farm house was full of happy visitors, showering congratulations and good wishes on bride and groom. At length, amid the laughter and chatter, singing and music, there was heard a noisy blowing of horns and banging of tin pans in the road outside.

"A horning party," cried somebody, and there was a rush for the door to give the boisterous serenaders a welcome in hospitable country style.

Charles Gilmore, the groom, with the dainty bride of an hour, advanced toward the door to acknowledge the salute and to give the serenaders an invitation to come inside.

As the pretty bride opened the door to bow to the serenaders and the light flooded her figure, a flash and a shot came out of the darkness.

With a scream the bride fell into her husband's arms. The right sleeve of her wedding gown had suddenly turned red. The warm blood spattered her bodice and the bunch of pure white roses at her corsage.

It trickled down her white skirt to the floor in a sickening flood. It even splashed upon the shirt front and upon the face of the horror-stricken husband.

There was a momentary hush, as the company stood transfixed with awe. Then a second shot rang out, and Mrs. Henry Gilmore, sister-in-law of the bride, fell to the floor, with blood streaming from her arm and shoulder.

Pursuing the Assassins.

A yell of rage rose from the men guests, while the girls and women screamed and fainted. The men rushed out doors after the fiendish assassin or assassins, who had paraded under the guise of friendly serenaders. But in the darkness of the Winter night they had vanished like ghosts.

The lover-husband, crazed and frantic with grief, at first thought only of his beloved, snatched from him in the hour of his supreme happiness.

In his arms he carried her to what was to have been her bridal bed. Her life blood was fast ebbing away. The stupor of death seemed upon her.

THE BRIDE'S RIGHT ARM, WHICH WAS SHATTERED BY THE ASSASSIN'S BULLET.

The physician, hurriedly summoned, stopped the flow of blood for the moment and gave some hopes of her recovery. But it was a terribly cruel wound. The girl's fair, round arm had been almost shot away, the bone fractured between the arm and shoulder. Only her corset side-steel had deflected the bullet from its fatal course toward her heart.

When the young husband, almost demented with grief and rage, had time to regain his self-possession, and after the vain pursuit of the serenaders, he tried to think who could have had a motive for the inhuman deed.

Jealousy was the first thought that came into his mind. He suspected, at first, a neighbor and a supposed friend, Andrew Farrell, a young man of twenty, his own age. He made a complaint to the town officers and Farrell was arrested on the charge of assault with intent to kill. He was taken to the House of Correction at Rutland.

When the enormity of the crime came to be considered, it seemed almost inconceivable that young Farrell could be guilty of it. He is a frank, honest-looking young man, popular among his fellows and of good reputation.

MRS. CHARLES GILMORE, THE BRIDE.

Taking these things into account, and also the growing impression in the community that some other, more villainous hand had struck down the young bride, State Attorney R. A. Lawrence changed the charge against Farrell to one of simple assault, and put him under $1,000 bonds to appear before the March term of the Grand Jury.

The principal evidence against Farrell is that he was recognized by Charles Gilmore, the groom, among the more or less disguised band of serenaders.

Had there been but one shot fired it might be looked upon as an accident, and the person who did it would probably have come forward and confessed, with the usual excuse of thinking the gun contained only blank cartridges. But there were two shots, fired in deliberate succession, the second after the bride had screamed and fallen. Whether the second shot was aimed at her, and intended to complete the deadly work or whether the assassin intended to kill both the bride and her sister-in-law is still in doubt.

It now appears that this distressing affair was the result of a plot quite beyond the mental cunning of a farmer's boy like Andrew Farrell.

Early in December, Charles Gilmore, the prospective bridegroom, found a letter one morning pinned to the front door of his father's house.

Opening it he read the single sentence written in red:

"I shall be with you on your wedding night." Instead of a signature there was the ghastly emblem of a skull and cross bones.

Young Gilmore laughed at first, thinking it was the joke of some friend. In New England country towns a certain class of fellows made a bridegroom the butt of all sorts of jokes.

Charles Gilmore tried to think that this sibylline letter was the first of a series of mild hazing tricks that he would have to stand goodnaturedly. But, nevertheless, a cold shiver ran over him as he looked again and again at the glaring skull.

Then, to rid his mind of the nameless horror it suggested, he tore up the note and threw it to the wind.

The following week he called on his intended bride one evening. When he left the house about 11 o'clock and went to take his horse and buggy out of the barn to drive home, he found an envelope stuck in the wire screening of his lantern.

Again the Death Warning.

A suspicious fear shot through him as he tore it open, and even before he read the lines he surmised what the message was:

"I shall be with you on your wedding night," and below was the same ominous signature, a skull and crossbones—all done in red.

Charles Gilmore read and reread the note in a state of dazed, inexplicable fear. It was not so much the contents of the letter this time that alarmed him as the manner in which it had been left.

While he had been looking into the laughing, lovelit eyes of his bride-to-be, some stealthy form had been prowling outside, perhaps seeing his happiness through the half-closed shutters—and preparing to blast that sweet emotion on his home going.

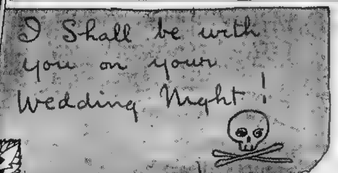
ANDREW FARRELL, WHO WAS ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF SHOOTING THE BRIDE.

The message now conveyed a malignant jealousy. Young Gilmore studied it carefully, for it no longer seemed a joke. He tried to think whose handwriting it was. It did not seem like any he had ever seen before. Then despairing of making anything of it, in a flash of indignation he tore up the note.

Now he would give anything for that precious bit of evidence that might be used against the assassin.

At times during the next fortnight, that fateful sentence occurred to him, and his blood alternately boiled and froze at its blind meaning. But other and happier thoughts mostly filled his mind and he mentioned the two mysterious letters to no one.

After the tragedy, when he and the friends who had been the wedding guests were discussing the shooting and trying to think of some clue to the assassin, Gilmore told about the two letters.



I Shall be with you on your Wedding Night!

THE DEATH WARNING LETTER RECEIVED BY THE BRIDEGROOM.

"Why, that is a quotation from Mrs. Shelley's novel about the Frankenstein monster," said one of the young men who is particularly well read. Amazement spread over the faces of the group. They started to laugh—but frowned instead, for they then remembered that this was the parting threat of the Frankenstein monster, made to the ill-fated bridegroom—a threat that was fulfilled on the wedding night by strangling the bride in her bed.

This deepened the mystery. The assassin, whoever he was, must have contemplated this deed for weeks. He must have been an intelligent, well-read man. He must be a resident of the village or some nearby town. The only motive for such a crime, under such circumstances, was jealousy—a vindictive rival or a repulsed lover—which?

Love affairs in a village like Ira are open secrets. The whole town knows just how the courtship of every fond pair is progressing.

There had never been any secrecy about the romance of pretty Mary Parker and young Charles Gilmore. They had been lovers from childhood—all through their school days—and no jealous rivals had interfered in their pretty, simple, loyal love-making.

That so foul a plot should be woven about their wedding seemed incredible. That young Andrew Farrell, the man who had been arrested, was a jealous, disappointed lover, no one for a moment believed. It seemed more like the deed of an overwrought maniac than like the act of a healthy minded merchant, farmer or villager.

The only substantial clue which the authorities have is the bullet which struck Mrs. Gilmore. It is considerably flattened and out of shape; but appears to have come from a .44-calibre rifle. The same kind of bullet struck Mrs. Gilmore's sister-in-law.

The police have made a search of the whole village for rifles that could have fired such bullets. Several have been found that would have answered the purpose, but there is nothing to connect any of the owners of the guns with this atrocious crime.

These are matters which will be sifted at the March term of the Grand Jury.

In the weeks that have dragged by since Christmas the young bride has faced the alternative of death from shock and blood poisoning or the possible losing of her right arm. The attending physician has thought it might be necessary to amputate just below the shoulder in order to save the girl's life.

In the meantime the mystery of the unnatural crime deepens, and there seems to be no hope of clearing it up till young Farrell is brought before the Grand Jury, and the State Attorney has produced all the evidence that he is now carefully gathering.

No case has ever so stirred up the people of Vermont except the famous affair of the librarian-legislator-selectman-burglar Clarence Adams, who terrorized the whole countryside of Chester, was finally caught, imprisoned at Windsor, and then was believed to have feigned death, crept out of his coffin and escaped to Canada, three or four years ago.

Some timid folk at Ira even venture the suggestion that the perpetrator of this last fiendish act is Clarence Adams, returned to his native State, and starting in on a new course of villainous crime, while masquerading as an honest citizen.

In support of this they point out that he would be just the man to pick out the fiendish warning of the Frankenstein monster of Mrs. Shelley's novel, and weave around it a nefarious plot with his diabolical cunning.

The Horrors of Absinthe Drinking.

THE dreadful experiences that await the drinker of absinthe are analyzed with scientific thoroughness and coldness by Dr. Emma E. Walker in the New York Medical Record.

In France absinthe is known as the "scourge," the "plague," "the enemy" and "the queen of poisons." Absinthe is a liquor of an emerald green color, consisting of from 47 to 80 per cent of alcohol, highly flavored with the aromatics, wormwood, anise, fennel, coriander, calamus aromaticus, hyssop and marjoram. The special variety of this drink depends upon the proportions and kinds of these flavors composing it. Its quality will also depend upon the quality of its constituents. Since any unpleasant taste may be easily concealed by the strong aromatic used, the alcohol employed in this liquor is frequently very impure.

Absinthe heads the list of toxic essences. The ordinary absinthe contains a far larger percentage of alcohol than does whiskey. Consequently its toxic effects are far greater than are those of whiskey, for to the increased amount of alcohol there is added the deadly wormwood.

In France, according to the law of March 23, 1872, it was declared that the commerce and sale of the essence of absinthe ought to be carried on by the pharmacists according to the law on the sale of poisons.

Absinthe, Artemisia absinthium, is the common wormwood, the bitterness of which has passed into a proverb. Absinthe is quoted to contain only one-third of 1 per cent of the oil of wormwood, to which are due the characteristic effects of the beverage. The bitter principle of absinthium, absinthin, is a narcotic poison. The coloring matters used in absinthe are often very deleterious; in fact, not infrequently copper salts have been used in order to produce the green color.

Absinthe is chiefly used in France, and especially in Paris. It was introduced there after the Algerian war of 1844-7 by the soldiers, who, on their campaign, had been advised to mix absinthe with their wine as a febrifuge. The use of absinthe rapidly increased in France, with such disastrous results that it has been described by French physicians as constituting a graver danger to the public than alcohol itself.

The habit of absinthe drinking is a most insidious one, and when it is once indulged it seems almost impossible to break. Thirst is more exacting than hunger. It is often a purely imaginary sensation. "Arrived at a morbid degree, the passion for drink is not only a vice which blights equally the reason, morality and justice, but is a veritable mental malady" (Paul Jolly). "The poisonous and inebriating effects produced in those who drink the liqueur of absinthe or cream of absinthe is undoubtedly due more to the wormwood than to the alcohol" (Trousseau and Pideaux).

The effects of the internal use of absinthe naturally fall into two groups, due respectively to the chief ingredients of the liquor—alcohol, and the essential oil of wormwood, which has a special affinity for the brain and nervous system in general. These groups may be subdivided according to their physiological, pathological and mental effects.

The effects of alcoholic beverages in general are too well known to be dwelt upon in much detail. Atwater, one of the American Committee of Fifty who have recently investigated the drink problem, declares that alcohol, when taken habitually in excess, is ruinous to both health and character. In large enough quantities it is a poison. According to Abel, alcohol does not produce "any persistent increase of muscular power, but only enables a brief spurt to be made, which is soon followed by a depression of energy to below the normal." This writer also says that the "moderate" quantity of alcohol is "represented by one, or at most two, glasses of wine (10 per cent. alcohol) or one pint of beer, or their equivalents in terms of alcohol, in the twenty-four hours." Lauder Brunton states that two fluid ounces—rather less than the ordinary sherry glassful—is the extreme limit in twenty-four hours. No authority questions the fact that an excess of alcohol impairs certain cerebral functions—attention, memory, self-control—as well as causing insanity in many cases. But what constitutes excess will depend to a certain extent upon the individual, the occupation and other conditions.

Physiological and pathological changes are caused by the use of both alcohol and absinthe and are the keynote to the mental and physical effects of these two drugs.

One of the first effects of alcohol is dilatation of the blood vessels and a quickening of the circulation. After the spurt of the stimulation, due to the acceleration of circulation, comes the stage of diminution of mental power. The superficial blood vessels become dilated after a moderate amount of alcohol.

Alcohol in small quantities causes an increase in the secretions and an increase in peristaltic movement. Large quantities diminish the secretion of gastric juice and cause active congestion of the mucous membrane of the stomach and a great increase of mucus. After the absorption of alcohol there is less tissue change, hence the tendency to the accumulation of fat.

By repeated indulgence in alcohol the blood vessels which supply the nerve centres with blood become altered, and the nerve centres themselves are also changed. The nerve cells and fibres, to which the activity of the nerve centres is due, are supported and bound together by connective tissue. In chronic alcoholism this tissue is much increased. The result is pressure on the nerve cells and fibres, which causes them to waste away.

The effect of the narcotic action is to decrease the close relationship that exists between the individual and his environment and the delicacy of his power of adjustment to external circumstances. The ordinary self-restraint which he has previously shown, together with the consideration of his surroundings, disappear by degrees. The alcoholic becomes more egoistic and selfish, and his surroundings seem less important to him. His mental faculties are unrestrained, and they may be compared to a fly wheel without a balance.

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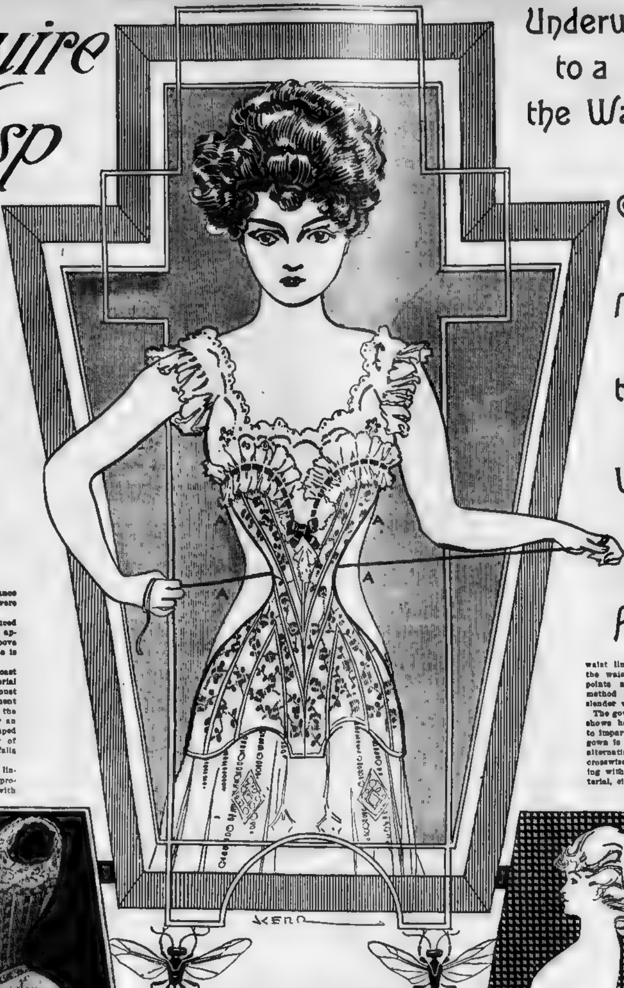
How to Acquire the New Wasp Waist

All Sorts of Exercise and Abstinence from Food Are Being Practised to Reduce the Waist Size to That Prescribed by the Newest Fashion.

Underwear Must Be Reduced to a Minimum in Order That the Waist May Appear as Tiny as Possible.

Combinations in Underwear, Where Full Garments Are All Attached to One Upper Portion, the Rule of the Hour Among Women Who Would Be Most Smart.

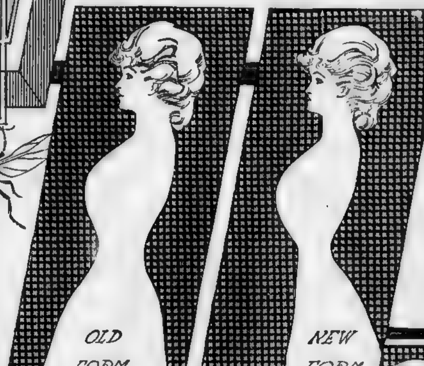
And All Are Learning How to Lace Corsets to Achieve the Wasp Waist.



The Corset is Worn Outside All the Underclothing Except the Skirt to Increase the Wearer's Slenderness.

The Intelligent Woman Who Wants the New Wasp Waist So Fits Her Corsets to the Figure That the Pressure Is Upon the Hip-Bones, and Pushes the Figure Up. She Laces it From the Bottom Toward the Waist, Beginning At the Waist Line, with Other Ribbons, She Laces Toward the Top, as Illustrated From the Lower AA. to the Upper AA.

The New Corset With Long Straight Front and Covering the Hips as Never Before to Make the Waist Look Slender.



How the Form of the Women of 1906 Is Being Completely Made Over for 1907.

THE wasp-shaped waist confronts the fashionable woman of to-day. Together with its fascinations the follies of the French Empire are revived in dress. Women aim to compress and repress themselves into a figure remarkable for the extreme attenuation of the waist line and—unless most artfully planned—the wasp-shaped shape of the figure above and below it.

The wasp-shaped waist, as produced by old-time or cheap corsets, is truly wasp-shaped in form. It effects a shapeless rotundity below the waist which increases the more the waist is compressed and which, if the fashion is persisted in for any length of time, remains permanent.

The modern woman, wiser than her sisters of a generation ago, knows this. She has planned a wasp-shaped waist which will be more sylphlike, more shapely, more healthy and yet as slender in appearance as the one of which her grandmothers were so proud.

A generation of athleticism has produced enlarged, muscular, strong waists which appear fully able to support the weight above them. How to reduce the size of these is a burning question.

The first thing done has been to cast aside every superfluous shred of material from the waist line. How women must shiver with cold in a skin-tight garment over a corset laced much tighter than the skin, and just the thinnest apology for an undergarment beneath it! The wasp-shaped waist has been set up on the altar of Beauty and every woman promptly falls down and worships it.

First a woman sacrifices her pretty lingerie. Away with corset covers, which protected the waist lines of corsets! Off with underwear which required a waistband! Lower garments are cunningly attached to the thinnest of chemises without any waistband whatever. Petticoats are reduced to the merest flat line at the top, or attached to a short-waisted corset cover which terminates just below the bust with a fitted skirt top to the hips. Many skirts are attached to the lower edges of the corset by patent fasteners of one sort or another, always flat, of course, for the form of the sylph disappears only in the furbelows about the knees.

The athletic woman, who has reigned for many seasons past, rejoicing in an absolute indifference to waist lines and wearing all the pretty garments, with ribbon-run waistbands that she pleased, cheerfully reflects that since she must reduce her waist measurements at least her loss in the way of clothing is compensated for in not being under the necessity to run ribbons through any more embroidered belts.

Women also wear their corsets on top of all the underwear and skirts they may happen to put on, with the single exception of the dress skirt. The result is a wonderful reduction in the size of the waist.

Then, too, the woman who would be well gowned now takes a vivid interest in her corset. She has learned that the appearance of the waist and her own comfort depend entirely upon the manner in which this is laced.

The best of the new style corsets have a long straight front and cover the entire hips, as corsets have never done before. They dip in well at the sides and deeply in the back and must be very well made, indeed, to preserve a proper form. Women cannot afford to wear inexpensive corsets. Economize on every other article of attire, by all means, but spend enough to have well-made, well fitting corsets.

The intelligent woman goes about getting a slender waist in the following manner: First she buys the kind of corsets described, and its actual waist measurement will be a trifle larger than she could squeeze into in some other make. Then she puts it on a bit higher up than it is intended to be worn and proceeds to lace it from the bottom towards the waist. She laces it closely and pulls it down over the hips, making it as tight there as she can. The corset is then firmly fitted to the figure and does not hurt nor inconvenience her anywhere, because the pressure is upon the hip bones and pushes the figure up, in a natural position, instead of down, in an unnatural crowding Beginning at the waist line, with other ribbons, she laces toward the top, allowing room for comfort where the corset presses up on the lungs. Indeed, the new wasp-shaped corset does not extend upward very far; its length is downward and its upper portion is supplemented by all manner of attractive little devices to fit to or improve the figure of the wearer, acording to the kind of gown worn by her.

The preservation of the straight front—which is only slightly modified from the old-fashioned straight front—prevents the undulating lines of the new corset from pressing severely upon the diaphragm, and so one may both breathe and move in the new tiny waists with far more comfort than was ever obtainable in the past. This style of front adds a trifle to the breadth of the waist line, but by keeping down the front of the figure in an accentuation of nature's method, it forces out the hips and prevents a plump woman from looking like a pillow tied tightly in the middle and a slender one from looking like an attenuated wasp, which appears from every point of view

"The trouble is," said a fashionable dressmaker, "so many women never will see that they lose the lines of grace when they put on too tight a corset of a kind which dips in at the waist line in front and gives them the reduced number of inches which they require without respect to the shapeliness below the waist line. They never see themselves in profile! If only they could! They know that they have squeezed themselves into eighteen inches of waistband and they are satisfied. Such women never realize that their waists do not appear as small as they really are because they are so out of proportion as to constantly call attention to the fact. If they would only lace from the hips and allow breathing space in front under the whalebones they would look—very much more slender and have an elegant figure besides. Oh, as to whether it is really more natural or not, that isn't the question. It looks so and that is all one has to consider in dress."

Devotees to the new fad for tiny waists are living more like anchorites than the pretty sybarites which they were. They abstain from breakfast and often from luncheon, as well. One woman fell ill under the starving process and when a friend commiserated her she exclaimed hopefully: "Well, of course it makes me sick at first; but then, it is doing without food in the long interval between dinner and afternoon tea which makes one lose flesh around the waist. Why, I'm losing every day!"

And, so women exercise in the morning before breakfast; they take long walks; they deny themselves all fattening foods; they abstain from breakfast as a customary thing, and do without many of the pleasant and essential things in life in order to attain the number of waist inches which fashion decrees must be theirs if they would appear in the new wasp-shaped form.

Venus de Milo, the admired of athletic women, is a neglected deity nowadays. The slender sylph whose waist may be spanned by a good-sized hand has taken her place in the admiration of womankind.

Another clever method of making women appear to have waists much smaller than they really are is the arrangement of high and unusually loose bodice drapery upon the Empire and princess gowns which prevail in smart attire, emphasized by the fullness of skirts around the lower portion. The extension of the gown above and below the waist curves makes the waist appear several inches smaller than it really is, and clever modistes have all sorts of little tricks for carrying out such an illusion. The bolero is one of these, for anything hanging loose high above the waist line seems to reduce its appearance.

Another little trick of fashion is the introduction of and craze for striped dress materials, and those with striped effects in almost plain or figured fabrics. The darker stripes, for instance, are brought together, or else close together, at the waist line, reducing the apparent size of the waist. Stripes, too, are cut to form points above and below the waist, a method which also tends to impart a slender waist effect.

The gown shown in figure B, for instance, shows how striped effects are introduced to impart a slender waist appearance. The gown is a princess, made of liberty satin, alternating with panels of chiffon tucked crosswise in groups of pin tucks alternating with insertions of lace. Any thin material, either of the washable order or otherwise, may be effectively made up in this fashion.

Three embroidered folds cross each other below a V-shaped lace yoke in surplice fashion. A band of ruche lace overlaps the lower fold above a plain portion of satin, which extends from the shoulders down the entire front of the dress in a panel which is shaped small at the waist and widens as it continues downward.

It terminates upon a band of embroidery around the lower portion of the gown. On each side the front and back of the princess gown are two panels of tucked chiffon, alternating with rows of lace insertion and bordered all around by the same. These panels widen toward the lower portion and terminate upon the embroidered bands around the skirt in deep points. The lower part of the skirt is trimmed with four wide bands of silk and bead embroidery, alternating with wide puffings of chiffon. The trailing gown is finished with a hem.

At the neck, which may be left open, is a small yoke and stock of chiffon. This may be made of diaphanous lace, plain or embroidered, or tucked chiffon, or net. Across its front are three straps of black velvet ribbon finished with tiny bows in the middle.

The puffed sleeves are trimmed with lengthwise insertions of lace and are gathered to a band of embroidery. Three ruffles of lace finish the sleeve above the elbow. This is one of the least difficult of the new princess models with wasp-waisted effect to make at home, and it is a model suited to many different kinds of materials, and may have panels outlined in braid or embroidery upon plain goods, if one fancies that.

Figure C illustrates another princess-Empire effect adapted to the wasp waist. It is made with a panel front, which, by the way, is a favorite arrangement of such gowns, because it may be shaped in at the waist line to give an emphasized expression of narrowness there.

The skirt is made with a circular effect, falling in wide, loose box pleats around the bottom, which is simply finished with a hem.

A short bolero bodice is made of elaborate silk and bead embroidery, trimmed around the bottom with a wide band embroidered in a different pattern from that upon the jacket. Similar embroidery finishes an upper band, which continues down both front and back, ending in shaped panels, which terminate in points at the waist line. A yoke of transparent lace has around it a border of embroidery in which gilt threads and golden tissue are introduced. A puffed sleeve of lace has two lace ruffles above the elbow, which almost conceal an embroidered band at the termination of the puff.

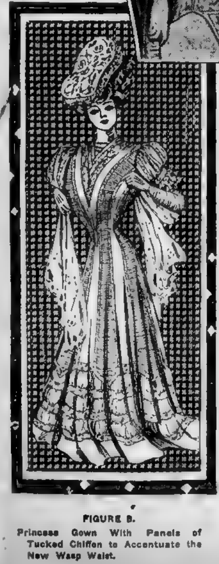


FIGURE B.

Princess Gown With Panels of Tucked Chiffon to Accentuate the New Wasp Waist.

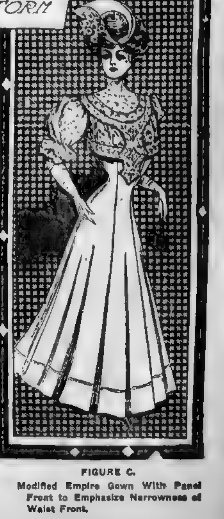


FIGURE C.

Modified Empire Gown With Panel Front to Emphasize Narrowness of Waist Front.

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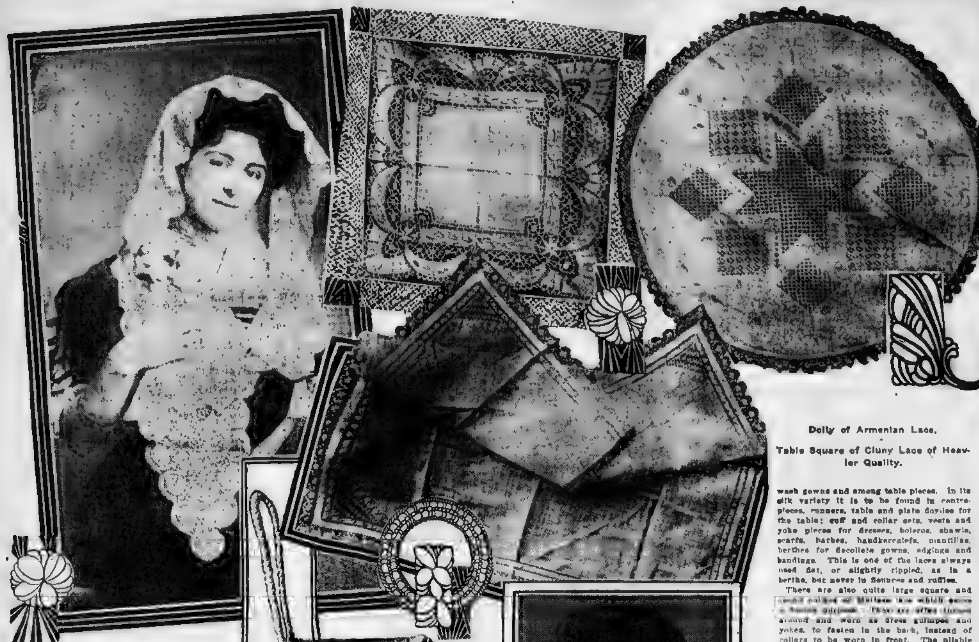
The Lace Mantilla and Laces in All Their Latest Fashionable Uses.



Mantilla of Silk Maltese Lace.

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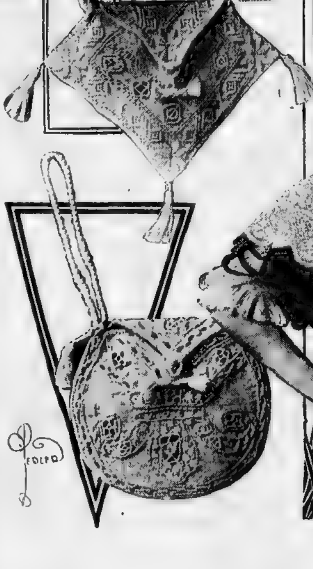
Doily of Armenian Lace.

Table Square of Cluny Lace of Heavier Quality.



The New Italian Lace Pockets.

Shawl or Bodice Drapery of Maltese Lace.

WHEN [illegible] became fashion [illegible] for many [illegible] the usually accepted one of serving as trimming for gowns. Oddly enough, fickle fashion will make of one kind of lace a high favorite upon the dinner table, the coiffure, the front of a gown and a flimsy handkerchief, while another [illegible] may only be employed as trimming for dresses and lingerie. Such fine distinctions are made in all the various classes of laces now in vogue that the woman who does not go about a great deal is often at a loss to know how and when and where she may make use of the delicate bits of cobweb beauty of which she may be the fortunate possessor.

Take, for instance, the fashionable and expensive old Italian filet laces, better known as Flemish lace, in which wonderful designs of birds, animals, fruit and flowers are wrought with heraldic signs and graceful arabesques which form a delicate running pattern connecting widely different figures in a bond of harmony. These are employed upon the tables of the very rich, upon their gowns, in panel effects, and in bands and applied pieces upon other portions of a costume. One never sees a flounce or ruffle of this sort of lace. Its dignity and costliness seem to set it outside the circle of frivolous and flimsy laces, of which ruffles and frills may be [illegible].

A very wealthy woman who was buying a table cover of this sort of lace a few days ago had in her friends to help her in making a selection among three superb dinner cloths of rare lace, each of which mounted into the thousands of dollars. In one of these cloths very distinct and elegant panel effects of Flemish lace were employed, with borders and an edging to match. The central panel was the length of a woman's skirt and represented animals, drawn by some famous artist of the Renaissance period of art in Italy, and wrought by the most skilful lace workers of past generations.

"Take that one," urged the woman's friends. "You can rip out the panel and wear it in front of your dress anytime and then sew it back into the cloth again."

"Yes, and just look at the yards of border you can set in your gown! And so easily ripped out and replaced, too!"

"It's perfectly lovely!" sighed the would-be purchaser, "but it costs $500 more than the two other cloths, and I'm not sure that it will look any more effective upon the table."

"But just think of the wear you will get out of it," exclaimed the others. "Your dress—your opera cloak."

"And it will last forever!" they all cried in chorus.

This is only a fair specimen of the manner in which lovers of rare lace buy it with reference to the decoration of their dining tables, their house decorations and their gowns.

A man walked up to the curtain department of a large house last week and asked to see some handsome lace curtains.

"How did your wife like the three-thousand-dollar pair of Clunys I sold you the other day?" asked [illegible].

"Oh, she liked them," exclaimed the man, a bit sardonically. "She's had them sent to her dressmaker to make an opera cloak of. That's why I want another pair to-day."

This appreciative woman has a [illegible] spirit in the woman who had Empire blouses made of her lace curtains, because that particular lace had sprung suddenly into popularity for dress blouses.

The lunch centre-piece of to-day forms the dress collar and cuffs of to-morrow. The Maltese lace handkerchief which you present to some fair friend this week and are rapturous to see her daintily flirting about for an evening or two will appear in her dress yoke or collar next week. Maltese is one of the fashionable fine laces which serves a variety of purposes.

In all its generations of unrivalled beauty Maltese lace has never been made of anything but silk threads of a creamy ivory tint. Now that it has become such a favorite of fashion that it is demanded for purposes where silk lace would be out of place it is produced in threads of flax and also fibre. In this form it appears upon wash gowns and among table pieces. In its silk variety it is to be found in centrepieces, runners, table and plate doylies for the table; cuff and collar sets, vests and yoke pieces for dresses, boleros, shawls, scarfs, barbes, handkerchiefs, mantillas, berthes for decollete gowns, edgings and bandings. This is one of the laces always used flat, or slightly rippled, as in a berthe, but never in flounces and ruffles.

There are also quite large square and round collars of Maltese lace which serve a double purpose. They are often turned around and worn as dress guimpes and yokes, to fasten in the back, instead of collars to be worn in front. The pliable nature of the lace enables it to be turned about without losing its shape.

Maltese lace handkerchiefs, too, are very much employed in the making up of yokes and collars for dresses. Often they are cut to form cuffs or sleeve pieces as well. They are of silk and lend themselves readily to such purposes in gowns of silk, velvet, crepe or any materials along these lines.

Another lace which is really new in this country, as well as fashionable, is the Armenian. A round thread is used in the making of this lace, similar to that employed in making real Valenciennes, therefore the lace launders beautifully and is very strong, notwithstanding it is one of the most ethereal of laces, so cobweb fine is its mesh. A distinctive feature of Armenian lace is a disc or wheel with a picot edge, and this pretty figure is introduced in an open web of fancy lace stitches. Its delicacy and exclusive character are its greatest charm.

Armenian lace, like Maltese and Italian filet, is made up into table pieces of small sizes, never in a big cloth, although such a piece might be made to order if one sent to Armenia for it. The table pieces show a great variety of designs, all in geometrical patterns in open lace of finest thread, interspersed with small designs, also in geometrical patterns, worked in flat silk upon the fine linen of the doylie or centrepieces. This style of embroidery is done in Persia. Both the lace and embroidery are the same upon both sides, so that one never need trouble about which side is the right one.

Some of the finest handkerchiefs to be seen are trimmed with edges and very tiny insertions of Armenian lace and they cost from fifty cents to $2.50 each. Tiny glove handkerchiefs, collar and cuff sets, insertions, edgings and galoons are all made in this delicate lace, which varies in width from a quarter of an inch to nearly two inches.

A wide difference exists between this dainty, unobtrusive lace and the showy and handsome Milan, which is one of the newest of old favorites in lace. The lace of Milan has been famous for more centuries than we can reckon, and it has lost nothing of its beauty in the ages. Every stitch is done by hand, although it has a wavy lace braid effect running through the heavier design which the uninitiated think is a machine-made lace braid. The patterns in Milan lace consist of open, heavy and light designs intermingled with lace stitches of great variety and beauty. It varies in width from narrow insertions and galoons to five inches in width. Because of its beauty it is used in flat or rippled effects, as one uses Devonshire point, or Flemish lace to show the design. Milan lace is made into collar and cuff sets and dress garnitures, but is not employed upon the table.

Quite the contrary may be said of Cluny, which, in both its fine and heavy qualities, is used for dress decorations of all kinds, except for ruffling, and is very extensively made up into table pieces, both large and small; into decorative squares, ovals and circles for general use and into borders and decorative designs in fine curtains. Cluny is now one of the very fashionable laces, although, when warm weather comes it will give place to lace of finer web and more delicate design.

The same may be said of the modern Italian laces, most of which are revivals of old types. These now appear in table sets of all sizes, decorative pieces for the house and panels and garnitures for gowns. Two of its most novel styles are shown in the dress pockets of Italian lace illustrated on this page. These fetching little dress pockets are worn outside as well as ornamental. At present they are so cunning to tuck one's handkerchief into and such bits of things as a woman has need of about the house, but when warm days come and linen and other washable gowns are worn upon the street the pocket of Italian lace will be a popular accompaniment to the costume, for it is large enough to hold one's purse and the little vanities of the toilet that are wont to be carried in leather "vanity bags," which have not the virtue of being washable.

It would seem as though the little tasselled buttons would be more attractive and practical if made in simple lace buttons instead of with tufts or tassels in each end of a tiny olive.

Mrs. Robert Colgate, of New York, was one of the first women to introduce these Italian lace pockets, although her example has been followed by a number of fashionable women.

Another of the smart laces of the season is the Byzantine, which is made principally into edgings and insertions of both wide and narrow widths.

Entirely for dress purposes real and imitation lace nets are very much in vogue, especially those which have small rings and little decorative patterns in the weave. Generally speaking, light and diaphanous laces are to be preferred to those of heavy character when the lace is not of the real hand made variety. Also one wants to select among imitations of lace those which best imitate the real laces in vogue.

Large lace veils have never at any time been more fashionable, and they appear in every variety of color, with a preference for brown.

Long lace scarfs, too, of imitation laces are very much used to wrap around one's neck, and certain styles of scarfs are made up into panels in tea gowns, Empire gowns and as draperies over bodices.

Fashion says, however, that if one would be well gowned the imitation lace must be fine and of a class in vogue, or one would be much better gowned if lace were omitted from the toilet.

Don't Use Your Elbows As Props.

THE fashion among young ladies of wearing short sleeves is very admirable, but it has the painful trick of revealing what may be called rough, uncouth elbows. It is probably because there are so many girls who have red, sharp elbows and ugly-looking arms, that we find fewer wearing short sleeves.

While girls in general are aware of the sad state of their arms, how few take the proper precautions to prevent this ugly appearance.

You have, no doubt, noticed that a number of girls use their elbows as supports. A girl who is reading sits in an arm-chair, uses her elbow to support her head. Another will take the same attitude when she is writing. Still another, who may have her meals in solitude, will read at the same time and lean both elbows on the table while she is eating. There seems to be an increasing tendency for the modern girl to use her elbows as props. Do you wonder, then, that so many red and angular elbows are in evidence at the present day?

Girls will be guilty of this habit of leaning constantly on their elbows. At the same time they will beg you to tell them of a remedy.

In answer it would be well to suggest that girls who suffer from rough elbows may take a treatment of pumice stone and cold cream. Every night the arms and elbows should be washed in warm water and plenty of mild soap. While the arms are still damp they should be gently rubbed with a piece of smooth pumice stone smeared with cold cream.

This should be passed over the elbows as well as the arms, but great care must be taken to avoid any undue friction. The movements must be very gentle, and the pumice stone only passed over the arms and elbows about three or four times.

It might be well to remark that this treatment will serve to reduce the appearance of superfluous hair on the arms, provided it is given three times a week. The cold cream serves to take away the irritation of the skin that might be caused by the pumice-stone, and also acts as a skin emollient.

After the pumice-stone treatment, and before the arms are dry, bathe them in clear warm water, to which a few drops of peroxide of hydrogen have been added. This assists in the whitening and bleaching process of the arms and elbows.

Should the arms and hands be very discolored it is a good plan to rub them with a little fine sand mixed with Castile soap, and rinse them well in warm water and a dash of ammonia.

Now the arms must be dried with a soft towel, but they may be left slightly moist, and while in this condition should be massaged with some pure almond oil and eau de Cologne. The massage movement should be given from the wrist toward the elbow, and never downward. Those who suffer from their arms should make a practice of smoothing the arms round and round, and should certainly massage them twice a day with a good skin food.

If there is no tendency towards superfluous hairs in those who are afflicted with scraggy arms and elbows, it is well to use a mixture of olive oil and white vaseline for massage. This serves to plump out the arms, and is an excellent skin fattener. A mixture of rosewater, lemon juice, and almond oil should always be kept on the dressing table, and the hands, arms, and elbows should be rubbed over with it twice a day.

The [illegible] may be kept clean by an orange stick dipped in alcohol or in lemon juice mixed with diluted solution of peroxide of hydrogen and eau de Cologne. It is an excellent plan to polish the nails in the palm of the hand. This prevents the nails from getting brittle, and also brightens them.

The fashionable nail is now short and shaped to the finger tips. The long, pointed nail is seldom seen on a womans' hand, as it is not considered in good taste. Brittle nails should be rubbed either with lanolin or vaseline every night, and finger-stalls made from the tips of kid gloves should be worn as much as possible to protect them especially should household work be undertaken.

Any girl who follows the treatment here outlined need fear no display of red elbows and ugly nails. Above all, let it be borne constantly in mind that she who avoids the habit of using her arms as props will not only save herself much trouble, but whatever the fashion or the weather will always be able to display the beautiful curves of white and well-shaped arms.

How a Girl May Be Popular Though Plain.

IT has been said that there would be no geniuses among women if all women were beautiful—that it is only their knowledge that they lack personal charms that spurs plain women on to compete with men in the world of art and letters.

Yet nearly every one can recall instances where girls who were undeniably plain of features, even lacking attractive figures, have been more popular in society and made better marriages than have some acknowledged beauties in their own set.

The secret is that the plain girl knows that she must exert himself if she would enter the competition with her more charming sister. The latter has been endowed by nature with certain charms—the plain girl has to create charms for herself. A hard task, you may say, but not an impossible one if the girl has a bit of brain, and most plain girls have more than a bit.

What every plain girl has to say is this: "I cannot compel admiration and attention from the male sex by reason of my good looks, therefore I must cultivate those arts which, in men's eyes, are of far greater importance than beauty. I will make any man into whose company I may be thrown, wish to meet me again."

This just means that a plain girl has got to exert herself, the pretty girl allows her looks to do all the work, but her plain sister must labor assiduously in order to make herself thoroughly popular. Sad to say, a pretty girl is usually not a bit too well-mannered; she is inclined to be snobbish and conceited. Now, the plain girl must avoid these failings; she must cultivate a good manner, and must neither be conceited nor snobbish—if she has the slightest tendencies in these latter directions she is bound to be greatly disliked, whereas her pretty sister is tolerated on account of her good looks.

A plain girl must learn how to sympathise with men, and that is not difficult. She must, too, always allow any man into whose company she is thrown to "have the floor." That just means that she must train herself to listen patiently and get out of the habit, if formed, of pushing forward her own views.

That gives her an advantage over the pretty girl, who is inclined to be autocratic and petulant at times.

Men like girls who sit quietly and listen to them chattering. It flatters them, and they conclude these girls have vast common sense, and that is just what a plain girl has to do—she must make men see that she is a person of common sense.

At the same time it is not true that a plain girl has just got to scheme a bit in order to gain popularity with men. No, she must be very sincere and serious on occasions, but she must always beware of advising a gentleman friend if he happens to appeal to her for advice. The better plan is for her to say that he must know what to do far better than she. That pleases a man wonderfully. A soft, persuasive tone of voice is of immense service to a plain girl.

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(Continued from Last Sunday.)

Synopsis of Preceding Chapters.

Elspeth Dean obtains a situation as typist at the great Scottish Hydropathic of Lochrain Castle. On her journey from London (in a first-class compartment, the thirds being full), she travels with Lady Lambart and Lady Hilary Vane, her daughter. John Kenrith, the Lancashire millionaire, joins them and shows the ladies some valuable diamonds. At the station for Lochrain Elspeth Dean is met by one Grant, a clerk from the hotel, who drives her to the castle. On the way he explains that a room has been reserved for her in the tower, and that it is haunted. Grant, however, absolutely declines to tell any story about the haunted room, although obviously there is one. Grant shows great admiration for the beautiful typist, but is not encouraged. Mr. McGowan, manager of the Hydro, meets Elspeth. Mr. Trowbridge, an American millionaire, engages her for an hour a day as also do other guests. The housekeeper tells Elspeth the story of Lochrain Castle, which formerly belonged to a family of the same name as the typist. The housekeeper hints that something might frighten Elspeth in the tower room, in which case she points out that the porter is close at hand. Just after the girl had got into bed she was startled by a strange sound. Several drops, apparently of blood, fell from somewhere above. But the girl bravely controls her nerves until morning, when she hears that a certain Captain Oxford was shot mysteriously during the night. Next day Lady Artcliffe insists upon gossiping to her. Lady Hilary also takes Elspeth into her confidence, confessing she is in love with Captain Oxford, and asking for information about the mysterious shooting. Later in the day Elspeth is called to Captain Oxford's room to write some letters for him. He hints to her his suspicion that he may have been shot by the Underground Syndicate, a mysterious association of assassins. She is then called to take some dictation from Mr. Trowbridge, the American millionaire, for whom she feels an unaccountable aversion. He makes an allusion to the Countess Radepolskoi's jewels and says she is very rich. That night Elspeth confronts the ghost in her room, and tries to pursue it, believing it to be a living man. It escapes and she tries to find out who it might be.

CHAPTER VI. (Continued.)

HER woman's instinct told her already that she would not have to ask favors in vain of her fellow employe, and though she would have made no serious demand upon the young man she determined to try again to draw from him the story of the haunted tower.

She had no opportunity of seeing him alone that morning, however, and nothing of importance happened during the day except—if it could be called important—an introduction to Countess Radepolskoi. Mr. Trowbridge, instead of employing her time himself, lent her to his friend the Countess, who had a pretty little private parlor, divided from the rest of her suite by an archway with heavy portieres.

Elspeth had fancied that she would not like the dark, handsome woman, who was too foreign in appearance, in the somewhat narrow opinion of a young girl, to be freely trusted. But she found her prejudice melting in the unexpected charm of the Countess's manner; and, besides, she would scarcely have been human not to be a little flattered by the evident wish of so magnificent a person to win her regard.

She had never met any one at all resembling the Countess Radepolskoi; she had never seen a room so littered with beautiful things as the Countess's small sitting room, nor had she ever imagined a tea gown so wonderful as that in which the dark beauty received her.

Elspeth wrote a letter or two from the Countess's dictation, and then the lady made a pause to ask questions about the typewriting machine. She showed such an intelligent interest that Elspeth was pleased, and then would not be satisfied unless the girl explained something about the system of shorthand. "But you are so young and pretty to be earning your living all alone in the world," said the Countess, with her fascinating roll of the "r." "You must tell me about yourself. I would rather hear you talk than write more letters."

Elspeth demurred at first on the plea of wasting time, but the Countess laughed, and said she found it more amusing to waste time than to do most other things; that was what time was for, to be wasted by nice people, such as they both were. So the girl was drawn into talk about herself, as she had been by John Kenrith, though in a very different way, and at last was led on, before she quite knew what she was doing, to discuss the people she had met in the hotel.

The Countess was enthusiastic in praise of Lady Hilary Lambart, but did not like the mother, and Elspeth was only just prudent enough not to exclaim, "Neither do I!" However, her face must have been expressive, for the Countess said: "Ah, I see you agree with my opinion, though you are too wise to say so in words. You are only a young girl, quite a child, yet I see you have a remarkable insight into human nature. It is a great gift. What a pity men have not got it, where women are concerned! And the nicer the man's mind, the less he seems to know of woman. There's good Mr. Kenrith, for instance. I have not even met him yet, but I have eyes, and already I see that Lady Lambart intends to marry him."

"I hope she won't!" exclaimed Elspeth, lured out of her prudence.

"So do I, for his sake, though I do not know him. They say she is horribly poor and in debt. It is his money she thinks of, for he is not her sort of man, at all. Cannot you—as it seems you are helping him with some important work—find a way of warning him against such a schemer?"

"I don't see how I possibly could," said Elspeth.

"It is a pity. But perhaps you are too young to undertake such a diplomatic mission. By and by I shall know him, perhaps, and then I will try to do it so cleverly that he will not even know it has been done. Only, unfortunately, I fear he has been in some manner prejudiced against me. He looks at me with cold eyes, which do not seem to see me at all, and—I am not quite used to that."

"I should think not," Elspeth replied.

"Do, if you care, speak kindly of me to the gentleman. I fancy your opinion—you are so young and frank—would have weight with a man like Mr. Kenrith. Perhaps he thinks I grudge him the blue diamond which was once in my dead husband's family, but I don't. I am glad for him to have it, for I believe he is a good man. But I should dearly love to know if the diamond is as beautiful as those say who have seen it. It is such a strange mischance that I never have. If he shows it to you, you will describe it to me afterward, won't you?"

"Of course I will," answered Elspeth.

"What a dear child you are!" cried the Countess, patting her hand and giving her a charming smile, with dark eyes alight. Still, Elspeth asked herself afterward if she had said anything which might give the impression that she knew Mr. Kenrith had brought the diamond to Lochrain with him. She remembered how Lady Lambart had exclaimed against his imprudence in mentioning it before a stranger. Therefore she supposed the presence of the jewel in the house would not be spoken about. However, on reflection she decided that she had committed no imprudence, and as Countess Radepolskoi was a rich woman, with many remarkable jewels of her own, her interest in Mr. Kenrith's blue diamond could not possibly be a dangerous one.

The following day, as it happened, the subject of the diamond was brought up, and the girl had an opportunity of keeping her promise to the Countess, if she would.

Lady Lambart, with Lady Hilary, came to the sitting room door just as Elspeth was finishing her work for Mr. Kenrith, but at sight of the young stenographer, made as if she would retire.

"Oh, I thought you would be alone by this time," she said. You told me the hour, but"—— (she glanced at her bracelet watch) "I see we're a few minutes before time."

"It doesn't matter; we have finished," said Kenrith. "You shall see my treasures such as they are."

"Pray, let us wait," began Lady Lambart, significantly, but Kenrith only laughed. "Miss Dean, you may perhaps remember our talking of a certain diamond in the train the other day. Now I am going to show it to Lady Lambart and Lady Hilary, also a black pearl which I have lately picked up. You shall stop and see them too."

"I—I think perhaps I had better not, thank you," stammered Elspeth, rising.

"Why, don't you like jewels?" asked Kenrith.

"Yes, but"——

"Then you must stay," said he, in his masterful voice.

The girl resisted no longer; but the idea flashed into her head that she would rather not know where the millionaire kept his valuables. There was no definite reason for this feeling, but she had it strongly. Instead of following Kenrith with her eyes as he walked to the other end of the room, she turned them upon Lady Hilary, with rather an appealing smile, as much as to say, "I do hope you don't mind me having stopped!"

But the other girl did not even see the smile. [illegible] whole soul seemed concentrated in a gaze which was [illegible] Kenrith, or Lady Lam[illegible] walked away with her host.

Elspeth was almost startled [illegible] in the girl's face, which [illegible] for a moment made it [illegible] years. The eyes were [illegible] the white throat visibly [illegible] its wisp of tulle. What is [illegible] her? Why does she look [illegible] path asked herself. And then Lady Lambart exclaimed "[illegible] extraordinary of you! Who on earth would have dreamed of your keeping the[illegible] there?"

The blood sudden[illegible] streamed up to Lady Hilary's face, then receded, leaving it very pale.

In spite of herself Elspeth was curious to know what there was so extraordinary about the hiding place Mr. Kenrith had chosen for his jewels. She had deprived herself of the knowledge which she might have had; but whatever Lady Lambart had seen, that had Lady Hilary seen too.

"Oh, I Couldn't" Cried Elspeth "I am Not at all in Love with You. I Never Could Be," While the Image of a Man Rose In Her Mind Who was Her Ideal.

CHAPTER VII.

A Puzzle.

FOR two nights Elspeth had a respite. Nothing happened. But as she lay awake in fearful expectation, or started out of her first sleep with her heart pounding and her forehead damp, it was not surprising that she began to lose her color and have dark circles under her eyes.

The girl knew that her face showed something of the strain she was silently enduring, but she hoped that no one would notice the change. Luckily, she said to herself, nobody cared enough for her to observe too closely, not even Lady Hilary, who, though grateful to [illegible], was naturally much absorbed in her own anxieties. But on the morning which completed the girl's first week at Lochrain Castle Hydro, James Grant was waiting for her in Mr. McGowan's room; and he was there alone.

As Elspeth came in, he sprang up from his chair at the desk. "At last," he exclaimed, "I have a chance to see you alone. I began to think it would never come again. Not once since the second day after you arrived, when you promised me your friendship, have I had five minutes to speak to you, without McGowan or someone else bursting in upon us."

Elspeth was rather taken aback at his manner, which gave a very different impression of the man from that she had received on their first meeting. He had been exceedingly quiet and self-restrained then, talking to her of his employer with marked respect and reticence. Now he called the manager "McGowan," had referred to him almost truculently, as if with resentment.

Somehow Elspeth had been glad not to see Mr. Grant alone since the day when he had suddenly asked for her friendship, with repressed emotion, and an odd air of mystery; and now she shrank away a little, laughing uncomfortably.

"As it's Mr. McGowan's own room," she said, "isn't it rather funny to speak of his 'bursting' in?"

"You know what I mean," replied Grant, with no answering smile, as he closed the door which Elspeth had intentionally left open. "Anyhow, there's no danger of his intruding upon us this morning."

"Is he away?" asked Elspeth.

"Yes, till afternoon. He has gone to see Lord Lochrain, by his request, at a place about thirty miles from here, where his lordship is visiting, before coming on to stop at this hotel. There's some business about the coal on the estate, a question of boundaries, and so on."

"Well," said the girl in a matter-of-fact voice, "we mustn't neglect our work, if he is away. I suppose the letters"——

"You need suppose nothing about the letters," cut in the young man, his black eyes brightening. "You are to rest this morning. I will do your work and mine, too."

"It's very kind of you to suggest such a thing," replied Elspeth hurriedly, "but"——

"Kind!" echoed Grant. "As if there could be a question of kindness from me to you. Why, I have thought of nothing but your face, growing paler and thinner this last week, from overwork."

"Oh, it isn't that," answered the girl, then checked herself quickly. She did not wish to confide in James Grant.

"You have had enough to wear you out anyhow," he said. "It's a shame. But I hope it won't be for long. You promised that other day to let me be your friend, but you know I want more than that, really. I never cared about any woman before I saw you. The sort of girls I came in contact with were commonplace creatures, without any attraction for me. I used to think it would be my fate, if I ever fell in love with a woman, that she should be some one so far above me, it would be hopeless for me to try to reach her. But you—you are as dainty and refined and as pretty as if you were the daughter of a countess, like Lady Hilary Vane, yet you are of my own class in life, and I can dare to tell you now that I have been in love with you ever since the afternoon when I drove you up from the [illegible]way station."

"That's only a week ago," stammered Elspeth, distressed and embarrassed. "You can't know your own mind in such a short time. Please forget about this. I will be your friend, of course, but"——

"Don't answer me yet," broke in the young man. "I've often heard that girls always said 'no' at first, especially if they were taken by surprise; and I didn't expect that you could have learned to love me so soon. But wait; hear what I've got to say [illegible]."

"I thought you were going to let me 'rest' this morning," pleaded Elspeth. "This conversation is much more wearying, after a bad night, than attending to Mr. McGowan's correspondence. I've a headache, and—and I'm worried about lots of things."

"You need never worry about anything after this if you'll trust yourself to me, and do as I am going to ask you to do, presently. First of all I want you to promise that you will be my wife, by and by."

"Oh, I couldn't!" cried Elspeth. "I am not at all in love with you. I never could be."

"How do you know that?" asked [illegible]. "Unless there is some other man. Is there? You must tell me that."

"You ought not to ask me such a question, but—there is no one," the girl answered. She spoke the truth. There was no man in her life, and there never had been, except her father and brother. Nevertheless, the color she had lost slowly streamed back to her face, and the image of a man rose before her eyes. She scarcely knew him, and he was as far removed from her as the stars above the earth. Yet she realized that he was her ideal, the man she could have loved if she had been more fortunately placed in the world, and that, compared to him, no man that she had ever met, or was likely to meet, would seem in her eyes worth the loving.

The thought of him, coming to her in such a way, almost frightened the girl, for she had not been aware what a hold he had obtained upon her imagination. She tried to shame herself by thinking, "How surprised he would be if he could dream that the poor little typewriter had such ideas [illegible] in her foolish head!" and it was this reflection that brought the blush, which James Grant was quick to see.

"She is thinking of some one, after all," he told himself. "Who can it be? Oxford, perhaps? Yes, that's the most likely thing. That's why she blushes, for she needn't blush if it were any one who is likely to care honestly, and not just flirt with her to pass the time. That's one more black mark against him. If I had any hesitation before, I've none left now."

"At least, you don't dislike me," he said.

"Of course not," the girl protested.

"Well, then, that is something. Listen to what I have to propose. Be engaged to me quite privately, if you like, no one need know till you wish it, and help me to [illegible] out a scheme which will make us both rich. Meanwhile I shall be doing all I can to make you care for me, and if I succeed, so much the better for me, if not, no harm will have been done, only a great deal of good, for you will have obtained enough money to make you independent. Now, isn't that a fair offer?"

"It is fair, but I can't accept it," replied Elspeth.

"Are you so well satisfied with your condition in life, that you are ready to refuse several hundreds of pounds, without even hearing how easily they can be earned?"

"Too well satisfied to be willing to better my condition by being engaged to a man I don't love."

Grant was silent, looking thoughtfully at the girl, evidently undecided what to do. Elspeth felt that he was debating within himself whether or not to tell her something that was in his mind. His lips went down at the corners and suddenly an angry light sparkled in his eyes. "If there were no such conditions, if you hadn't to pledge yourself to me—you would be eager enough to make the money," he said.

"That depends upon the 'scheme' you spoke of," she retorted.

Again he paused. "I could tell you nothing unless you were bound to me in such a way that my interests were yours," he answered at last.

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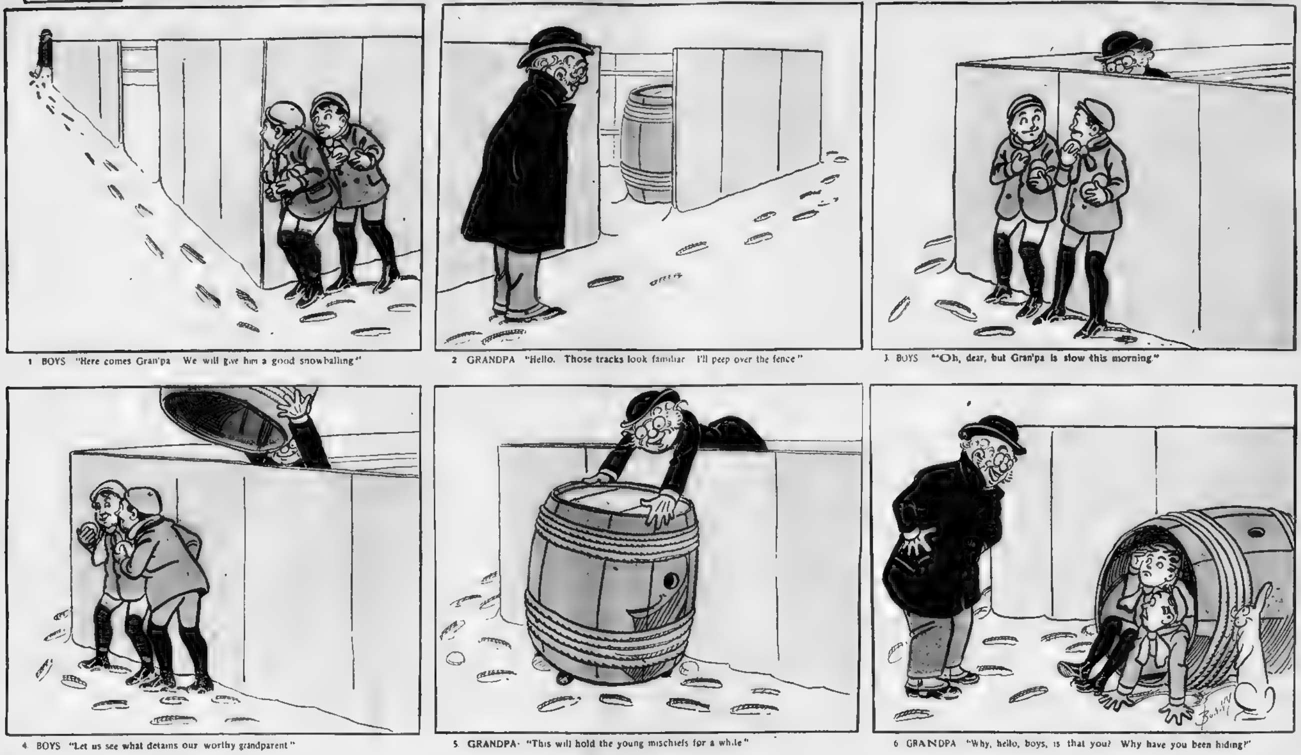

1 BOYS "Here comes Gran'pa We will give him a good snowballing"

2 GRANDPA "Hello. Those tracks look familiar I'll peep over the fence"

3 BOYS "Oh, dear, but Gran'pa is slow this morning"

4 BOYS "Let us see what detains our worthy grandparent"

5 GRANDPA "This will hold the young mischiefs for a while"

6 GRANDPA "Why, hello, boys, is that you? Why have you been hiding?"

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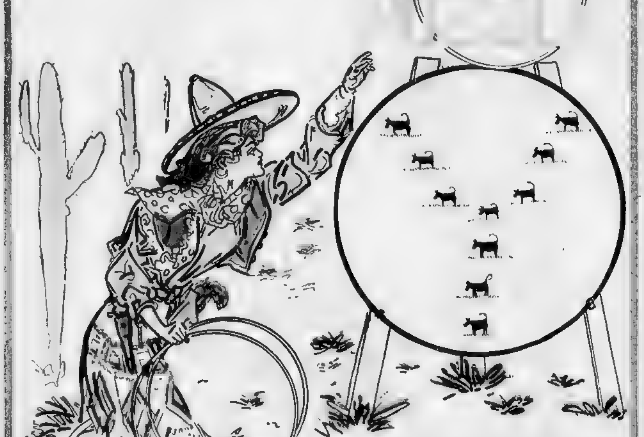

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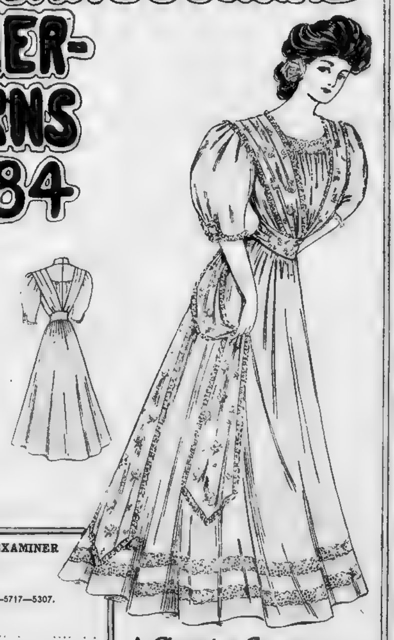

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MAN'S GREAT STOREHOUSE OF WEALTH

HAVE you ever seen a fly crawling over a buffalo's back? That fly understands and thinks about the vast creature beneath it ABOUT AS MUCH AS THE AVERAGE MAN THINKS OF THIS EARTH UPON WHICH HE LIVES

We exist for a few days in one little spot. We scratch the earth's surface for a living, or as middlemen and clerks, we live with the help of those THAT DO scratch the earth. Presently destiny destroys and removes us, as the buffalo with a swinging blow of its tail removes the fly, busy with one of its little capilary veins.

This editorial is written to concentrate our readers' attention on the marvellous wealth of the earth, WHICH IS THEIR INHERITANCE

The earth belongs to all of humanity. And every little individual among us properly developed has in him the possibility of sharing the thought and the wealth OF ALL HUMANITY. It will give us a greater conception of our own destiny if we understand more fully and IMAGINE more completely the great treasure house of riches upon which we sail through space.

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We shall talk to you about a salt mine and about the mud-wasp and its way of taking care of its young ones.

Have you ever seen a salt mine, ever been down in one? Here and there, in the peaceful farming regions of the Genesee Valley, in New York State, you see a tall building, placed above a deep shaft.

All around it are the quiet farmhouses, homes of the men that scratch the top of the earth. Each farmhouse has its little glass saltcellar

And under the ground below them lies one of Nature's salt-cellars, sixty miles long, miles wide, and more than twenty feet deep

To know a thing you must see it. Come down in one of the salt mines for a few minutes. You get into a big bucket, a pail of unusual size, made of heavy iron. The signal is given, and you sink down through darkness hundreds of feet below the earth's surface. As you go down and down, you begin to have a respect for the earth. You hardly thought it was so deep. Yet you have only gone down a small part of one mile

You would need to multiply your trip by five and then multiply that by eight thousand before you would reach the other side of the earth, and find other human beings in their peaceful little houses, scratching the ground.

It is warm down where the salt lies; as you go down into the earth it gets constantly hotter. In the middle it is probably in a molten condition with inexhaustible heat beyond our conception

Some day perhaps we shall utilize that heat, as another one of our treasures, and on that day the power-producing capacity of Niagara Falls will seem very childish to it

At the bottom of your shaft a gang of men are at work in a small, low vault. All the sides are of sparkling crystal. Everything there is SOLID SALT. One man with a drill is making holes. Presently dynamite will be put in, the men will withdraw to safety, the mysterious electric spark will release the mysterious power of expansion in the dynamite, and TONS OF SALT WILL BE ADDED TO THE WORLD'S WEALTH, WAITING ONLY TO BE TAKEN UP AND DISTRIBUTED.

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Above them are the various layers of the earth's geological formation, one above the other, more than a thousand feet between them and the sunlight.

When that salt was made, before any man lived on the earth, the spot where the men now are working was the bed of a salt lake, just such a lake as that in Utah. Slowly the waters of this lake evaporated; that process meant many long thousands of years. Then the evaporated water leaving the salt behind it, the salt settled at the bottom. Since that time, the thousand feet of earth's strata, with the thin, little soil and the grass and trees at the top, have gradually been formed by Nature.

Many hundreds of centuries that salt lay buried there before there was any man to come and get it. And hundreds of centuries after men came they were powerless to use it, POWERLESS TO GET DOWN TO IT, just as they are now powerless to use the heat at the earth's centre, or the force of the tide, or the vast unlimited heat wealth of the sun. Living one thousand feet above those solid mines of salt, the Indians and the deer travelled miles to a salt lick for the salt that they needed.

To-day man changes [illegible] water into steam, he transforms [illegible]e running water into electric po[illegible] With the steam he digs a hole [illegible]wn to the salt. With the electr[illegible] of the running stream he explodes his dynamite, AND THAT COLLECTION OF SALT WEALTH IS ADDED TO THE WEALTH THAT MAN POSSESSES.

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Do you know that this earth is like the stupefied caterpillar that the mud-wasp stores away for its young. As the intellect of man is to the intellect of the wasp, so is this earth to the body of the dead caterpillar.

To the thoughtful man there could be nothing more marvellous than this simple story.

A mud-wasp never sees its young, never knows them. All that it knows is that it must lay eggs in the ground That marvellous knowledge which we foolishly call "blind instinct" tells the mother wasp that the young one must be provided for.

A young wasp can live and enjoy itself if it has a caterpillar's body to keep it company. The mother wasp goes out to find the caterpillar. She does not KILL it If she killed the caterpillar it would be decayed and gone before the hatching of the young wasp

The mother wasp knows a certain nerve close back of the caterpillar's head She stings this nerve, just enough to paralyze the unfortunate insect, destined to feed her young ones

The caterpillar stupefied by the sting is put away in the ground and the wasp egg is laid beside it.

While the wasp egg is hatching, the caterpillar is still living, though paralyzed and unable to move.

Later, after the hatching egg and its victim have lain side by side for days and weeks, the young wasp is born, and there is the poor, pathetic, still alive caterpillar, waiting to be devoured

In that caterpillar the young wasp finds everything that it needs. The caterpillar, living up in the sunlight, had been eating green leaves, storing away carbon and other necessary food in its tissues.

These the wasp finds at its birth. It proceeds to devour the caterpillar, then it comes up out of the ground, straightens out its wings in the sunlight, becomes a busy wasp in its turn, eventually lays its egg, catches a caterpillar, stupefies it in the same marvellously intelligent way, and the process begins all over again.

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Readers, this earth is OUR caterpillar. And the great spaces filled with shining stars, with planets around each, are simply other caterpillars upon which other intelligent being are living, developing and fulfilling their destiny.

When man was born on this earth he found waiting for him a planet that contained everything HE NEEDED, just as the little wasp coming into life finds the stupefied caterpillar lying patiently beside it.

The wasp needs little, man needs much Both get ALL THAT THEY REQUIRE.

Fortunately, since we are more complicated than the wasp, so our destiny is more complicated. Our work here is to live on our planet, NOT BY DESTROYING IT, BUT BY BEAUTIFYING IT AND MAKING IT WORTHY OF OURSELVES, WORTHY OF THAT LITTLE ATOM OF DIVINE INTELLIGENCE WHICH IS PUT INTO US AS A RACE.

The world gives us everything that we want, we take everything that we want, and we make the earth more beautiful than it was before we began exploiting it. We drain its marshes, cultivate its deserts, develop the useful animals, the good and beautiful plants, DESTROYING THOSE THAT ARE EVIL. We shall ultimately make of this earth a splendidly cultivated garden, in which just and happy men will live peacefully and intelligently, worthy of the great wisdom that created them and of the beautiful home given to them.

Give a few thoughts occasionally to the earth which is yours. It BELONGS to you and your fellow men. You should understand it, admire it, have an idea of its resources. And remember above all that we have not yet BEGUN to use what has been given to us. Millions upon millions of acres of land is untouched. We have not even begun to utilise our mineral wealth. As to the force in Nature, the unlimited power that can be employed to transform our earth, and make men THINKING CREATURES INSTEAD OF LABORING SLAVES, we know as yet nothing at all. We are like little insects living on the outer rim of a great driving wheel, and building their own little windmills instead of using the force of that wheel.

Fortunately we have millions of years ahead of us to live here on earth, develop our intelligence, and made use of that which is given to us.

We shall live to lower or elevate mountains as easily as we now cut down a tree. We shall regulate climate We shall live to take the gold from the salt water, if indeed we do not learn to create it from the elements for ourselves. We shall intelligently own, understand, cultivate, irrigate, beautify and use every inch of our treasure house, the earth. AND THEN FOR THE FIRST TIME WE SHALL REALLY BE MEN AND OUR CAREERS WILL ONLY HAVE BEGUN

For after we conquer and know and make use of this earth thoroughly, the real life of man will begin with his study of the other worlds, his profound exploration into space. HIS ATTEMPT TO REALIZE EVEN FEEBLY THE GREAT MYSTERIOUS SCHEME OF WHICH HE IS A HUMBLE BUT NECESSARY PART.

Millions of Years Before the First Man Appeared Everything That He Could Need Was Stored Up for Him in the Beautiful Planet Devoted to His Use.

THE DOWERED BRIDE

BY ELLA WHEELER WILCOX

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TWENTY-FIVE years ago a beautiful American girl married an Austrian "gentleman."

She bore her husband three children and became so much of a foreigner that she has had her children taught four European languages but not one of them speaks the English tongue.

She brought her husband a small fortune, and he has become a man of great wealth.

But as his money increased his vices kept pace, and marital discord ensued. He is living in a famous city on the Riviera, in great splendor, while in a secluded spot resides his wife, still a strikingly beautiful woman, and with her are the three children.

The husband allows his wife but a small sum, which barely gives her and the children life's necessities.

The oldest living child is a very pretty, highly-accomplished girl of twenty. She speaks four languages, is an excellent housekeeper and in every way is fitted to adorn a home and to add lustre to society.

One would imagine that such a young woman could have her choice of desirable men when marriage suggested itself to her, but in Europe only the peasant girl is sought in marriage for love alone. Unless the well-born and well-educated girl has a "dot" and can "pay" her husband for marrying her, she regards marriage as out of the question, save through some Aladdin lamp miracle. The young lady mentioned above is now at an age where her mother desires her to be "settled."

Therefore, the mother has appealed to the Austrian courts to compel the husband and father to dower the daughter, in order that she may in turn dower the husband who will be good enough to come forward from some "first family" in Europe, once the girl has her fortune.

Just as the courts were rendering a verdict in favor of the wife and daughter an aunt of the young lady died, leaving her a small fortune.

Then there was great rejoicing.

"Why, *now* my daughter can marry into one of the *very best* European families," said the mother. Such has been the mental transformation of the woman who was once an American girl, and believed, no doubt, in the divine right of every woman to love and be loved, irrespective of money considerations. This whole European view of the marriage question is very unnatural—very artificial—and very humiliating to the masculine race, it seems to me.

One of the clearest and most subtle delineations of the situation ever written is given by Frances Hodgson Burnett, in her story of "The Shuttle." She tells of the reverie of Sir Nigel Anstruthers, who was about to marry a wealthy American girl in New York. "But now Sir Nigel found himself face to face with a state of affairs such as he had not contemplated. In England when a man married certain practical matters could be inquired into and arranged by solicitors—the amount of the prospective bride's fortune, the allowances and settlements, the position of the bridegroom. To put it simply, a man found out where he stood and what he was to gain. But in New York millionaires, it appeared, did not expect to make allowances to men who married their daughters; young women, it transpired, did not in the least realize that a man should be liberally endowed in payment for assuming the duties of a husband."

This is the foreign masculine view of marriage, and the more an American mind grasps the situation the more repulsive it seems and the less admirable does the dot-demanding husband grow, viewed in the cold, clear light of common-place facts.

"You see," said an acquaintance of the American-Austrian young woman, "it was imperative that her father give her a dot. Otherwise she *could not marry*. Now, that her aunt's money has also come to her, she can *make desirable connections*." It was as if one said, "Without money she could not buy a dogcart; now, that she has fallen heir to a fortune, she can purchase an automobile."

It is impossible for one reared in America to think of men who take this mercenary estimate of marriage without losing respect for them. There is a belittling process in the education which leads to such standards.

No matter what excellent citizens they may be, and what good husbands they may make, they fall short of God's original design for man—the primitive lover—who fought for his mate and carried her away in sight of the whole universe.

It is useless to quote statistics and prove that such marriages—marriages where men have been paid and "dowered"—result in more lasting happiness than those which begin with ardent love. I have heard those arguments and listened to such statistics, but the fact remains unalterable that nature's design is thwarted and that life misses its one supreme hour when a woman knows that she is sought in marriage for any reason save that of the man's strong desire to have her companionship through life.

How pitifully cheap becomes the greatest of human experiences when she knows that, instead of listening to the call of love or passion, her suitor has simply looked into her financial situation, and compared it with that of several other possible bride candidates, and given her first choice!

Yet the average foreign husband of the "better classes" takes just this view of marriage. That it results in happy home life frequently, and sometimes in love *after* marriage, I have no doubt. That it fails, too, especially in the case of the international marriage, our several recent international divorces prove.

Many love marriages fail also, but at least they have had something out of the experiment.

I heard a man say, with a ring of triumph in his voice, "I once had a honeymoon." He was divorced, and his moon had set in darkness. Yet he felt life had not been a failure for him. He had married for love and he had been loved for a brief season.

But when the wife is obliged to divorce the husband she bought with her dower, how utterly venal must existence seem to her!

A brilliant man, speaking of the decadence of Venice, said: "It is all due to the idea which crept into that old republic in the height of its power—*that work was a disgrace*. Descendants of families that made Venice renowned for centuries believed labor to be a degradation, and so those families have degenerated into weaklings, without fortune or place or character to build futures for themselves."

All over Europe this idea prevails to some degree—men are proud that they do not have to work, and that idea dwells in the same mind with the desire to find a well-dowered wife.

Both ideas belong to the male weakling—never to the manly man.

Such ideas are beginning to penetrate American society. For, as a country grows in wealth and luxury, it becomes like a tree full of fruit, on whose branches must be found some decaying specimens.

But God grant it may be yet a thousand years, and still another thousand, before our marriages are "arranged" in European fashion, and before our charming American girls feel they must depend upon the size of their "dot" to purchase marriage!

What I Know About Rats! ❧ By Clara Morris

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"YOU'RE dead right, ma'am—rats are shrewd things! And it's no ordinary person that can get on to their haunts and habits. I've cleared out many a house and barn where an amateur would only catch a few and put the rest of their guard."

And this man whom I had sent for evidently believed his to be the most improved, dignifying and fascinating calling under the sun, for he considered rats themselves to be the crying evil of the day, not any way second to the mosquito pest, "that they're makin' such a time about!"

Then, this well-trained professor of the art, who by long habit had grown familiar with his adversary, went on to relate how that two days before he had rid an ocean liner of nearly five hundred rats. "Why, them ships take in their complement of rats as regularly as they do passengers."

And to my inquiry, how they got abroad, he explained: "They go dry-footed, ma'am. Yes, ma'am, they pass in Indian file along the mooring ropes into the hawser holes, and then they're safe as long as the cargo's aboard—providin' they can get to bilge-water. That bein' impossible, they've been known to come on deck of a rainy night—don't stare, ma'am—sailors have told me that on sailin' vessels makin' long voyages they've seen 'em climb the riggin' and drink the moisture in the folds of the topsails. Yes, ma'am, the whole race of 'em have quick ears for runnin' liquids. Why, it's a common thing for 'em to gnaw the lead pipe in saloon cellars, which lead to the taps upstairs; an' I've caught 'em as jolly drunk as the fellers asleep in the barroom."

I began to have confidence in my rat-catcher. Glancing down from his ferrety eyes, I remarked a charm dangling from his watch chain. "What have you got there, my friend?"

"That, ma'am, is the tooth of a rat that for some cause or other was prevented from gnawin'. You see, it isn't a pastime with 'em, as you'd suppose, but a necessity—they've got to gnaw to keep down their teeth. Now, this feller has been shut up somewhere, where he couldn't use his teeth, an', as a consequence, it growed and growed, until it formed a circle and part of another. You can put your finger through it—try it, it cannot harm you."

My faith in him was established—he evidently was a virtuoso in his art, such a one as was the musician employed by Frederick the Great. When the royal flute player was expecting to be complimented on his performance the master replied: "Sire, it would be a discredit to Your Majesty to play as well as I." This party had not served in courts, but the implication was there—that I had done him wrong if I had suspected him of being an ordinary rat-catcher. So I dismissed him to my vegetable cellar.

And that evening I learned many things about the whiskered vermin race. Cuvier told me that his lordship did not set out in his travels until the year 1727, when an earthquake induced him to swim the Volga and enter Europe by way of Astrakhan. Then the encyclopedia informed me that the black rat emigrated to England from Germany with the House of Hanover, and that another species came over in the train of William the Conqueror from Normandy, and is called to this day in Wales "the French mouse." Also, that the latter has such delicate, pretty ears, that his black brother nibbles them off as would a teething child a sweet biscuit.

I laid the books away, fearing a rat nightmare, and took up the French newspaper. Was I possessed, do you think? For almost directly I came upon the following:

"A Belgian correspondent sends us an account of a theatrical performance by a troop of rats, which gives us a higher idea of their intellectual nature than anything else which is recorded of them. This novel company of players were dressed in the garb of men and women, walked on their hind legs and mimicked with ludicrous exactness many of the ordinary stage effects. On one point only were they intractable. Like the young lady in the fable, who turned to a cat the moment a mouse appeared, they forgot their parts, their audience and their manager at the sight of the viands, which were introduced in the course of the piece and, dropping on all fours, fell to with the native voracity of their race. However, the performance was concluded by their hanging in triumph their enemy, the cat, and dancing round her body."

Mon dieu! where will this competition with the legitimate stage end?

Mirandy on the Homicide Habit ❧ By Dorothy Dix

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"MA'Y JANE," remarked Mirandy, "has jest been tellin' me 'bout dat woman down in Mississippi whut heered dat a man had been talkin' discontemptuous 'bout her, an' she retch down her pistol from de shelf, an' segasuated over to his office, an' shot him down dead. An' she read me 'bout anodder lady in Washington whut killed de man whut had procrastinated deir marriage ontel chillen had got big enough to act lack dem Fauntleroy pages at de weddin', an' den flew de track.

"An' she promulgated 'bout a gentle girl in Ohio dat took a wing shot at de judge dat was tryin' a case against her, an' anodder woman out in de West dat got even wid de man dat she say busted her heart, by blowin' off de top of his haid.

"'De Lawd sakes!' 'sclaims I, 'but women sho'ly is gittin' handy wid deir guns, an' de fust news dey knows some of 'em is gwine to be ornamentin' de eend of a rope.'

"'Not so,' 'spons Ma'y Jane; 'dey will be acquitted by de onwritten law.'

"'Whut in de name of goodness is dat?' I axes her.

"'De onwritten law,' 'spons Ma'y Jane, 'is de back do' to de jail dat you creeps out of after hit is cost de State fo' million dollars to fling you in de front do.' Hit's de thing dat makes hit murder to kill anybody for money, an' gran' an' heroic to shoot 'em in de back for tellin' de troof 'bout you or your family ef you are whut you don't want to hear mentioned.'

"'An' you think all dem lady murderers is gwine to git off free?' I axes her.

"'Sure,' says she; 'de Mississippi law got a bunch of justice handed to her by accident, but des as soon as hit was done de jury apologized for hit, an' she'll git a new trial and git off, an' all dat de yuther ladies will have to do will be to put on a pretty dress, an' go into court, an' look a sort of weak an' sorrowful, an' dey will be let off—especially ef dey is good lookin'.'

"'Huh,' 'spons I.

"'Well,' says Ma'y Jane, 'hit's mighty bad for anybody to steal a woman's good name.'

"'Hit is dat,' agrees I, 'an' dat's de reason dat a woman ought not to leave hit lyin' around loose so dat anybody kin tak' hit dat's got a mind to. I ain't never seed nobody steal a woman's good name yit ef she took keer of hit, an' kep' hit onder lock an' key.'

"'Hit's a terrible thing,' goes on Ma'y Jane, 'for anybody to tell scandalous things 'bout a woman.'

"'Hit sho'ly am,' 'spons I, but ef a woman does scandalous things I don't see dat de balance of us is got any call to keep from talkin' 'bout 'em. Yit,' says I, 'I'se attended mo' dan one funeral whar all dat de corpse did was to mention something dat somebody wasn't ashamed of doin', but was ashamed of havin' told.'

"'Anyway,' remarked Ma'y Jane, 'hit's gittin' mighty onhealthy to trifle wid a woman's affections in dese days, for hit looks lak hit's gittin' sort of fashionable for women to tote a gun, an' punctuate de anatomy of de man whut is tryin' to side step de altar, or dat circumlocutes any tales 'bout deir carryings on.'

"'Dat's so,' says I, 'an' hit would surprise me none ef befo' long you'd be readin' in de papers dat at de Helpin' Hand Social dat Miss Geraldine Jones wo' a lovely thirty-fo' calibre, self-cockin' revolver, draped wid blue ribbons, an' Miss Maud Violet Smithers carried a pink gatlin' gun, an' de beautiful Lucille Ann Jenkins toted her jewel razor.

"'As hit is, I should think dat ev'y time a man saw a woman dive down into her hand bag, he'd turn pale around de gills, an' begin shakin' at de knees, for he don't know wedder she's gwine to draw out a powder rag an' a piece of chewin' gum, or a pistol. An' hit's lots mo' dangerous for a woman to draw a gun on you dan hit is for a man to, for a woman shoots so wild dat she's des as liable to hit you as not, whilst de mos' of de men misses de mark.'

"'You don't 'pear to have no sympathy wid dem ladies whut takes de law into deir own hands, an' kills de men whut dey claims has plundered dem,' says Ma'y Jane.

"'Well,' says I, 'I mount ef dey had cleaner slates, but all de women dat I ever is heered 'bout dat felt called on to kill somebody for talkin' 'bout 'em was de kind of women dat you didn't dast tell de troof 'bout. An' as for killin' a man becaze he won't marry you, hit looks lak to me dat dat is a waste o' ammunition, when husbands is as easy to git as dey are.

"'Cose I ain't had much pussonal acquaintance wid ladies whut was quick on de trigger, but hit's my opinion dat ef a woman behaves herself lak she ought to dat she ain't gwine to have no call to kill nobody for whut dey say 'bout her.'

"Yassum, dat's so. I mind de time when Sims Jenkins was down wid de typhoid fever, an' de po' boy, whut didn't have no mother, nor sister, nor nobody to take keer of him, was dat pitiful, dat I went to his room an' nussed him through his sickness. An' one day, as I was a-gwine down, I met up wid Salliny Sue whut done run away wid anodder woman's husban' an' was always a-castin' sheeps eyes at ev'y man dat crost her path, an' she say:

"'Sis Mirandy, ain't you afeered dat folks will tak 'bout you gwine dere?'

"'Nawm,' says I, 'dat I ain't. Nobody ain't gwine to scandalize my reputation, caze I done live so dat hit will stand a little strain ef hit had to.'

"Yassum, dat's so, an' dat's whut makes dis heah onwritten law dat lets folks off for pertectin' whut dey call deir honor by killin' folks look lak plumb foolishness to me. For dey mos'ly ain't got no honor, an' hit sho'ly does seem lak you was strainin' a pint to murder a pusson for passin' a few remarks on whut some odder pusson done when dey segasuated off of de straight an' narrow path.

"Brer Jenkins, he say dat we ought not to gossip, an' dat we ought not to remark on each odder's frailities, but, my lan', dat's whut keeps de world straight. Hit's de fear of our neighbors' tongue dat keeps most' of us in de stockade. Hit's gossip dat's de real parlice of de world.

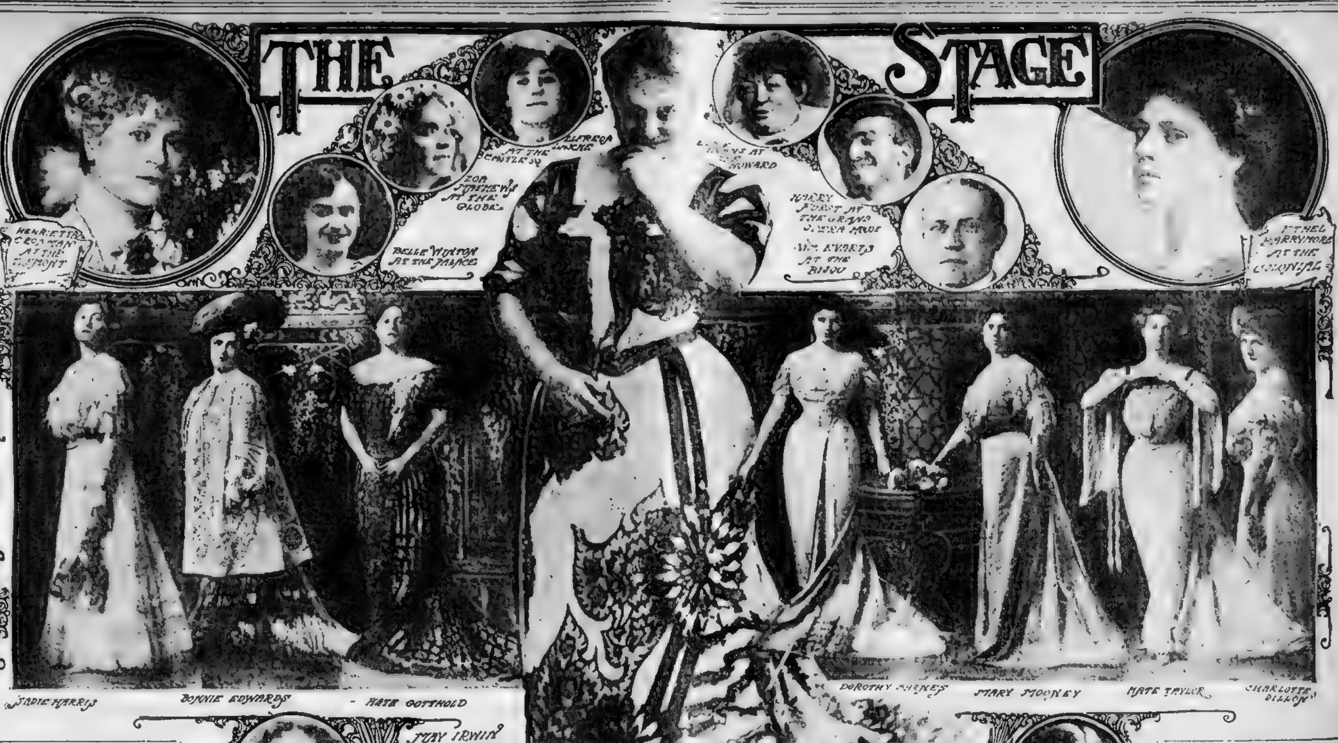
"An' anyway, I don't believe in murder. Hit's a mighty messy thing—especially for women, an' I ain't in favor of dis heah onwritten law makin' hit so easy for 'em dat ev'y woman wid a red-haided temper fee.s lak dat she kin go out an' shoot down any man dat she's got a grudge against, an' git off, an' git her picture in de paper, an' a offer to go on de stage. Hit'll make murder too popular."

REVOLVERS GUNS
PEARL-HANDLE REVOLVERS ARE ALL THE RAGE NOW!
Gus Mager

"Hit looks lak hit's gittin' sort of fashionable for women to tote a gun."

"He don't know wedder she's gwine to draw out a powder rag an' a piece of chewin' gum, or a pistol."

THE STAGE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SCENE FROM THE SQUAW MAN AT THE HOLLIS
HAPPY LAND GIRLS WITH DE WOLF HOPPER AT THE MAJESTIC

"We women must bear our sins alone; you make us bear yours too."
—From "The Squaw Man."

"If you are not premature now-a-days, you are anticipated."
"All-of-a-Sudden-Peggy."

Unusual Number of Plays to Continue Here.

THE theatrical situation in Boston this week is unusual. Six plays are to remain at their respective houses for another week—"Ben Hur," "Captain Jinks," "The Wizard of Oz," "The Squaw Man," "Mrs. Wilson-Andrews" and "All-of-a-Sudden Peggy"—a list of "continued" that is rarely equalled in a season. There are but two openings of travelling companies, "Happyland," with De Wolf Hopper, at the Majestic, and "Old Isaacs from the Bowery" at the Grand Opera House. The three stock companies are to produce popular plays, the Bijou putting on Ibsen's "An Enemy of the People," the Castle Square the ever popular "Raffles" and the Bowdoin Square the melodramatic "Her Fatal Sin." Manager Waldron of the Palace Theatre puts his new plan into operation on Monday and thus starts the battle between the Eastern and Western Wheel of Burlesquers. Changes of bill are made also at the vaudeville and burlesque houses.

What the Theatres Offer

Majestic Theatre

For a single week, beginning to-morrow night and including Thursday and Saturday matinees, DeWolf Hopper and his comic opera company will present De Koven and Ranken's "Happyland" at the Majestic Theatre. Mr. Hopper never had a more congenial role than that of the jolly old king of Elysia and he sports through the play, drawing shouts of laughter after him. In the company are Marguerite Clark, Ada Deaves, John Hendricks, Frank Casey, William Wolff, William Danforth, Bertha Shalek, Joseph Phillips, George Odell and Florence Martin and a large chorus selected with the care for beauty that has always characterized the Messrs. Shuberts offerings.

Palace Theatre

There will be a radical departure at the Palace Theatre, beginning to-morrow, when the management will inaugurate a new policy, that of running a big vaudeville show in conjunction with the traveling burlesque shows, making practically two big shows combined, a continuous performance of burlesque and vaudeville. Doors will open at 12:30, and the performance will begin at 1 p. m. It will run continuously until 10:30 p. m. There will be no increase in prices. So far as the burlesque entertainment is concerned there will be no change, and for this week Rob Manchester's Vanity Fair burlesquers, one of the best companies in the burlesque wheel, will be the attraction, in two musical skits entitled "On the Fall River Line" and "Our Georgia Rose." The burlesque olio will present the original Wangdoodle Four in "The Darkey Dancing Master;" Reed and Shaw, gymnasts; Conley and Jones, comedians; Anna Arline, singing soubrette, and Belle Wilton, Jessie Sharp and company in "Butterflies and Daisies," with a spectacular finale, "The Birth of the United States." The Palace vaudeville bill will be headed by the Beldone troop of English acrobats, others on the bill will be Pinard and White, musical artists; the New Orleans Quintette, colored performers; Hazel and Collins, comedy sketch team; McKeene and Candy, athletic sketch; More and Alden, illustrated songs; Shayne and Ward, Irish comedy; Dynes and Dynes, [illegible] Adams in the impersonations of great men, at the Palace [illegible]. Smoking is now permitted as the ventilating system has been repaired.

Bijou Theatre

An event of more than usual interest is the presentation this week by John Craig and his players at the Bijou Theatre of an Ibsen play—one that never before has been given on the professional stage in Boston. "An Enemy of the People" has been called a social and political satire. The play everywhere has been widely discussed, not because of any deep problem, for it is simple and direct, both in theme and treatment, but because of its universal application to all classes of society, all conditions of life, and its searching analysis of human nature. Interest centres largely in the character of Dr. Stockman, who was the idol of his fellow townsmen while he helped to put money in their pockets but was regarded as the common foe when his sense of honesty compelled him to denounce the baths which were among the chief sources of revenue to the town. The story is told with great clearness, naturalness and simplicity and at the same time there is an admirable and humorous insight into the common weakness of human nature. Mr Craig will play Dr Thomas Stockman, who is made the central figure. Others who will appear are Messrs. Evarts, Mackenzie, Clarges, Vost, Aitken, Jocelyn and Warren and the Misses Young, Sanders and Colcord.

Castle Square Theatre

At the Castle Square Theatre during the coming week "Raffles" will hold the attention of all lovers of detective plays and novels. The play made by Eugene Presbrey from E. W. Hornung's famous stories is a strong and powerful melodrama, relieved with frequent comedy scenes. "Raffles" is cleverly constructed. Out of all his difficulties Raffles emerges as triumphant as Sherlock Holmes from his, only the one is a burglar and the other a tracker of burglars. In fact, "Raffles" is as highly an exciting drama as is "Sherlock Holmes." The scenes are laid at Lord Amersteth's mansion and at Raffles' apartments in Piccadilly, London. For the Castle Square cast the characters have been allotted to Howell Hansel as Raffles, Ben Johnson as Lord Amersteth, Edward Wade as Crawshay, John Waldron as Captain Bedford, Shelley Hull as Lord Crowley, Charles Miller as Harry Manners, Mark Kent as Goldby, Thais Lawton as Gwendoline Conron and Elfreda Lasche as Lady Ethel.

Keith's Theatre

One of the best all-around bills of the season will be presented at Keith's this week. Among the leading acts are the Kaufmann Troupe, the Immensaphone, Lind, Volta, the Jack Wilson Trio, the Marco Twins, Grace Hazard and the Aerial Smiths. The Kaufmann Troupe is the greatest family of bicycle riders on the stage. In the Immensaphone, Lasky, Rolfe and company present a novelty, musical in nature and full of surprises. Volta is to remain for a second week on account of the sensation he has created on his electrical experiments. The Jack Wilson Trio do a snappy blackface skit full of good singing and dancing. Grace Hazard has originated something new in a protean act, which she calls "Five Feet of Comic Opera." The Aerial Smiths do many tricks on the flying trapeze. The balance of the bill will include the Young American Quintette, Nessen, Hunter and Nessen, hoop rollers; Waldron Brothers, Dutch comedians, and the Kinetograph. Houdini will return on Monday, February 11, for one week only.

Orpheum Theatre

The singular success gained by Henri de Vries, the Dutch protean artist in the sketch "A Case of Arson," at the Orpheum has led Manager Wilbur to continue his engagement here a [illegible] week. Another [illegible] feature will be W[illegible] C. Perkins [illegible] of Will M. Cressy's [illegible] "The Man from Macy's" [illegible] Boston comedian [illegible] of his career. Another [illegible] will be the Boston debut of George Mozart, an English comedian, who has only recently arrived in this country. He gives a condensed burlesque melodrama. Other [illegible] features are Callahan and St. [illegible] Irish stars, in "The Old Neighborhood"; Snyder and Buckley, musical comedians, Kemp's "Tales of the Wild," a novelty in vaudeville; the Creo Brothers, Gypsy acrobats; Cook and Stevens, known as the "Chinaman and the Coon," and new vitagraph views.

Boston Theatre

The popularity of "Ben-Hur" seems never to wane. The spectacular melodramatic religious play, founded on General Lew W[illegible] [illegible] Boston Theatre is [illegible] to New York City. [illegible] opens at 7:45 [illegible] the Star of Bethlehem [illegible] will be seated.

Colonial Theatre

Ethel Barrymore enters upon the last week of her highly successful engagement at the Colonial Theatre on Monday in Clyde Fitch's best comedy, "Captain Jinks." "Captain Jinks" shows the New York of the early seventies, when the Dolly Varden and the Grecian bend were the vogue with the women, and when the men still wore fantastic pot hats and walking suits that were modelled after the styles worn by Cruikshank's gentlemen. The company supplied by Charles Frohman for Miss Barrymore's support is of unusual merit and the production is made upon a lavish scale.

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- PARK—"Mrs. Wilson-Andrews."
- TREMONT—"All-of-a-Sudden Peggy."

Flashlights Upon Stageland

By "The Observer."

ETHEL BARRYMORE makes a great mistake when she does not add "A Doll's House" to her regular repertory. Her acting in the role of Nora is a revelation to everyone. In every tiniest detail she makes her a merry, heedless, macaroon-munching hoyden, beautiful to look at, exuberant with life, with all the moods of the soubrette—gay, nervous restless, the prey to an almost consuming vivacity. In every word, every glance of the eye, every movement of her expressive face she reveals the irresponsible girl-wife, and then the awakening womanhood. There is a wonderful lack of self-consciousness in Miss Barrymore's work in "A Doll's House," more so than in anything else she does. She seems to fit the character perfectly, and one of her best scenes is that where, for the first time, she talks seriously to her husband, after she discovers his lack of faith in her, and is determined to leave him and her children. Miss Barrymore has gained a wonderful command of herself since her success in "Captain Jinks" five years ago. Few actresses could have sustained a role so well as did she on Thursday when, in the middle of the final act, Mr. Mack went to pieces, and she had to prompt him time after time. Miss Barrymore owes it to herself to play Nora oftener, for it is a distinct personal triumph. It is unfortunate, however, that she has adopted one of the highly objectionable mannerisms of Mrs. Fiske, of speaking much too low in her quieter scenes. Persons back of the first row could not hear a word she said for many minutes at various times. It is not worth while, in seeking to be natural, to pitch the key so low that no one in the house can hear or understand what is being said. If Mrs. Fiske had been willing to listen to the many friendly suggestions on this score, she would to-day have had the entire playgoing public at her feet. But, now, they have to crane their necks and sit with both hands up to their ears in order to hear anything, and usually they do not succeed in doing so.

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I LEARN that John Craig has leased the Globe Theatre for his stock company, and will take possession on April 29. He is not as yet sure whether he can secure a lease of it for next Winter, but is endeavoring to do so. Mr. Craig has proven himself to be a remarkably astute actor-manager. Even he did not expect to remain in the little Bijou Theatre more than three weeks when he opened there last year, but he has been there twenty-two weeks already and has made money. He has organized one of the best light stock companies in the country, and has gathered around him a following that would climb a long flight of stairs each week to see the plays he has produced. To get six or seven thousand people to climb the Bijou Theatre stairs each week is a feat in itself, but he has done it by giving them plays they like to see. Mr. Craig will give his players a few weeks' rest before they go over to the Globe Theatre, and his first production there will be an unusually pretentious one. It is his intention to give but three matinees each week during the Summer, thus relieving his players of the brain and body racking strain of "two-a-day." There seems to be no reason why Mr. Craig may not build up a stock company that shall be a worthy successor to the old Boston Museum Company. He has the talent, and he has, also, the invaluable aid of a remarkably versatile little wife, Mary Young. This little woman has simply taken the Bijou patrons off their feet every week, revealing talents which have hitherto been hidden.

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EATING and drinking on the stage is usually a delusion and not much of a snare. It is not so with All-Of-A-Sudden Peggy (Miss Henrietta Crosman) at the Tremont. She eats her breakfast in the London flat of the Hon Jimmy Keppel. She had remained in the flat all night, and when the Hon. Jimmy returned early in the morning and found that the impulsive and unsophisticated Irish girl had done such a daring thing he was so shocked that it took away his appetite. But it didn't affect the hunger of Peggy. It was something like 10 o'clock when she tackled the breakfast. It must have been her supper. She had a big platter of what she called chicken fricassee. Whatever it was, she ate it and a lot of it. Then she got away with about a quarter of a loaf of bread, a bottle of honey, a box of crackers and drank a few cups of something. After that she looked as though she could wait until after the play for something to eat. Peggy is a hearty and wholesome biggish bit of the old sod, and her accent was not overdone. In less capable hands some of the lines and situations would not have been so genuinely funny—but she never let anything get too close to the danger line. Peggy showed that she knew a thing or two when she remarked to the Hon. Jimmy, who was willing to be satisfied as her husband with a share of her affection: "Yes, I know that a man is willing to be satisfied with half a loaf before marriage, but when he finds that he can't get the whole thing after it he takes a chip off some one else's loaf." When complaint was made to Peggy's mother that her daughter was too premature she replied: "You have to be premature these days or you will be anticipated."

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ACTRESSES are peculiar people. If a number of women in a box prefer to talk rather than watch them act, they do not like it. But watch an actress in a box, when she is requested to remove her hat so that the persons behind her can see the stage! My! There's trouble immediately. Elsie Janis left Keith's Theatre in a huff a few weeks ago because she was asked to remove her hat, and Henrietta Crosman showed her temper in a similar fashion at Ethel Barrymore's matinee of "A Doll's House" on Thursday. Miss Crosman, however, had other guests with her, and her uppishness over the very sensible rule of the theatre put them to much inconvenience, for they were forced to leave the theatre when she did, during the first act. Yes—actresses are peculiar people.

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Watch the eyes open.

Then [illegible] stare [illegible] Williams [illegible]

Sometimes [illegible] of hard staring to [illegible] Boston is getting a bad [illegible] "baby stare" [illegible] of the Lady W[illegible]

The fact [illegible] way of advertising the forthcoming [illegible] ance of "The Little Cherub" [illegible] excited by [illegible] Miss Williams and [illegible] explanation of the opening of [illegible] will [illegible] The Little Cherub [illegible]

News and Notes of the Theatres

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Globe Theatre

"Wizard of Oz" [illegible] extravaganzas [illegible] the Globe [illegible] one more week. [illegible] to be one of [illegible] the history of [illegible] week. George Stone's [illegible] the Scarecrow [illegible] tinctly novel. [illegible] tastic school of [illegible] Vokes [illegible] were leading exponen[illegible]

Hollis Street Theatre

It is not strange [illegible] Theatre has been leaving some of the largest houses of the season during the past week. William Faversham has been always considered as one of the strongest favorites to appear [illegible] piece that could compare with "The Squaw Man" in interest. Boston [illegible] in line with New York [illegible] in which Liebler & Co. have presented this drama of Edwin Milton Royle.

Park Theatre

Next Monday night [illegible] performance of [illegible] Miss Irwin's engagement at the Park Theatre in George V. Hobart's uproariously funny comedy, with song interpolations, "Mrs. Wilson Andrews," is [illegible] antidote for the [illegible] Miss Irwin [illegible] presented here. [illegible] with "Mrs. Wilson-Andrews," [illegible] Mr. [illegible] "Mrs. [illegible] Caruso" [illegible]

Tremont Theatre

Henrietta Crosman [illegible] Theatre the week [illegible] Sudden Peggy. [illegible] New York [illegible] Boston [illegible] company.

Grand Opera House

"Old Isaacs from the Bowery," [illegible] Blaney's new [illegible] will be this week's attraction at the Grand Opera House. In "Old Isaacs," Mr. Blaney has [illegible] into a new field to present a play which will [illegible] of heart interest and [illegible] The title role has been [illegible] to Harry First, the young Hebrew character who splendidly portrayed [illegible] Abraham in [illegible] Slaves of New York last season. Matinees will be given on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Extra 'Doll's House' Matinee

Ethel Barrymore will give one more [illegible] of "A Doll's House" at the Colonial [illegible] So many persons were disappointed when they could not get seats last [illegible] afternoon that it was [illegible] more perform[illegible] on Thursday at noon.

AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS. AMUSEMENTS.

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Sparkling [illegible] Herald
Miss Crosman [illegible]
Jolly entertainment [illegible]
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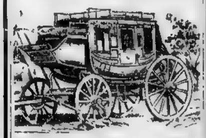

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Hunting [illegible] of Indian campaigns and souvenirs of the Spanish War [illegible] wild animals form one of the principal attractions of Broncho John's Wild West show which comes to Austin & Stone's Museum Monday. Broncho John was a [illegible] to Wounded Knee campaign and was with Lieutenant Smith of the Nation Cavalry when that officer was killed by Apaches in 1881. With him there comes to Boston Nee-Ne-Moosha, a genuine Indian princess. Other curio hall features include Irwin on the dancing ladder, Till's marionettes, Topp's band of sable brothers and the giant snake. The "Minstrel Maids" will have new and [illegible] features.

Lyceum Theatre

Gratifying to patrons of the Lyceum will be the announcement that beginning Monday, William S. Clark's Jersey Lilies Extravaganza Company will be the attraction for one week. The olio presents Frontie Vedder assisted by Franklin and Buckley in a Irish singing and dancing act, Bowen and Lina, bar and casting act.

Roller Skating

A six-day International team race starts at the Park Square Rink on Monday. This race will be one of the greatest ever seen in Boston. Fifteen teams are already signed up, including all the great skating champions. Great preparations have been made to accommodate the crowds.

Fight Pictures at the Hub

The Hub Theatre has been engaged by Miles Brothers, the New York moving picture men, for the week of February 11, for the Burns-O'Brien fight pictures. The films were taken at the ringside and in addition an interesting set of pictures show scenes from the training quarters of both men. The fight pictures, as they are recorded on the reels, comprise over 210,000 separate and distinct photographs. Matinees will be given every day.

Annie Russell Coming

Annie Russell is coming for a week at the Hollis Street Theatre beginning February 18, in Wagenhals & Kemper's big production of "A Midsummer Night's Dream." She will play "Puck" and have the same company and scenery as at the Astor Theatre in New York.

Sunday Concerts

The Sunday concerts are notable tonight. At Keith's Williams and Tucker and Melville Ellis head the list, at the Orpheum the bill of last week is to be repeated, at the Globe, the Bowdoin Square, Boston, Columbia, Majestic and the Grand Opera House there are excellent vaudeville [illegible].

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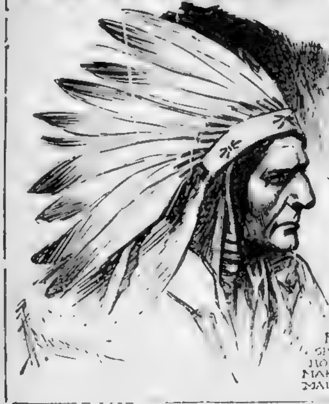

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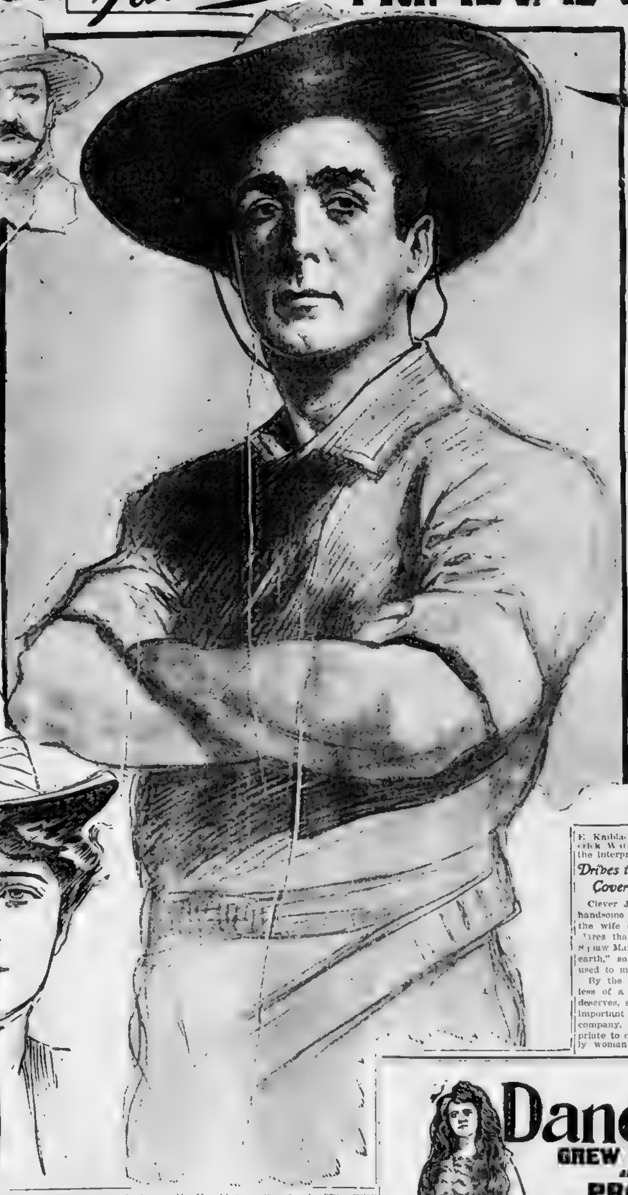

W. S. HART AS "CASH HAWKINS" HART IS A GENUINE COW PUNCHER FROM ARIZONA.

WILLIAM FAVERSHAM AS "JIM CARSTON" THE SQUAW-MAN.

JULIE OPP AS DIANA

By Eleanor Ames.

GIVE thanks, girlies, and rejoice even unto the limit of your matinee enthusiasm. Faversham, your [illegible] your idol, your own adorable Faversham, upon whom you have lavished a wealth of adjectives never contained in dictionary, and whose charms you have sung in extravagant superlatives, has finally struck the highway which leads to justice.

In other words he has begun to get his deserts.

To be more explicit, he has found a play which suits him, a play strong and wholesome, and human, a play which gives him a chance to play just the sort of chap he really is, fine, manly, strenuous, clean-cut.

For that's the sort of play you'll find when you see "The Squaw Man" at the Hollis, and that's the sort of character you'll find in Jim Carston.

To get this chance Mr. Faversham had to go far afield, forsaking the perfumed air of the drawing room, deserting the frivolous, chattering crowd about the tea table, and stake out his claim in the alkali and sage brush loneliness of the primitive West.

But the journey has paid, and Jim Carston's Utah ranch is the most profitable theatrical investment he ever made.

At Home in Ranchman's Role

I have an idea that although there has been the constant ring of applause in his ears, Mr. Faversham has not been entirely satisfied with his lot since he became a star. He has had one disappointment after another in the matter of plays.

To be sure he has had some delightful plays and some charming roles and he has kept steadily piling up his stock of public popularity, but the plays he has had have been more often what he could get than what he really wanted and hoped to have.

In other words, no play was ever written specially for him, and no dramatization of the latest popular novel has been made for him and him [illegible].

So perfectly does the ranchman's role fit him, and so perfectly [illegible] is he in every scene that one might easily believe that when Edwin Milton Royle wrote "The Squaw Man" he had dedicated it in advance to William Faversham. But it is not so. His possession of the play is a happy accident, for at the time he secured it he was angling for the rights of another out-of-door drama upon which he had set his heart, and which, by the way, is still first in the list of his hopes.

Actor's Remarkable "Fit."

However clever as is Mr. Royle, had he really put his pen to the task of building a play about Mr. Faversham, I doubt if he could possibly achieve a more remarkable "fit" in theme, atmosphere, character.

You know the plot? Well, briefly—but first, do you know the meaning of the title?

"The Squaw Man" is indigenous to the Western soil. He represents a distinct and peculiar type, of which, happily, there are fewer examples to-day than in [illegible] and lonelier times. He is the white husband of an Indian squaw, and his life is seldom bright, or his achievements noteworthy, while the tragedies are many and great.

This particular "squaw man" is an Englishman, a younger son, whose cousin holds the [illegible] to whom has fallen the [illegible]. Through [illegible] he comes to the States [illegible] West, joins the ranchers, [illegible] but lonely life of [illegible] life to an Indian [illegible] for the future of his child, marries her.

Together they settle down in primitive fashion on the ranch which he buys.

Time goes on. "The Squaw Man" has struggled and suffered, but in the love he bears his son, he finds contentment of the kind that comes when ambition sleeps.

Death Gives Him British Title

Then comes news from England—from home! The [illegible] of "The Squaw Man" is an Earl, his days of poverty are past, his [illegible] is over, the woman he loved is free!

He will go home, home, and claim it all!

Oh, the joy of life!

Then—he sees the child, he remembers the mother, and hope dies. In England the faithful little Indian woman would be impossible. And he cannot desert her.

"My place is here," he decides.

"But the boy," urges his solicitor. "He must have the training that is his right."

"The Squaw Man" sees his duty and does it. The boy shall go back, though the father's heart breaks. He explains it to the mother, but she cannot understand, save the fact that they would take her baby from her. Her husband, whom she obeys, banishes her for the moment, the boy is made ready, and starts, and the Indian mother ends her life.

William Faversham is an Englishman, of birth and position. He might have been Captain James Wynnegate, indeed he was in the English army. He came to the States. He travelled widely. The fascinatoin of the West held him until he almost bought a ranch.

Knows Loneliness of Plains.

So he knows both ends of the play. He knows the life in England and the life on the plains.

Friends of his have come from their English homes and are now settled on western ranches, and among his acquaintances he can number squaw men. It is all familiar ground, that ranch at Green River. He knows the loneliness of sage brush and scrub oak and alkali; he knows the life of the [illegible] and the heart of the plainsman.

It is the free, healthful, honest life he loves, for even in the days when the girls thought he was "too perfectly dear" in the so-called society drama, or in the impossible picturesque romance play, he spent his leisure time tramping the fields with his dog, or galloping cross country on his favorite mount.

Take my word for it, girlies, your hero is no pink tea man, and he's more than "too awfully handsome to live" in his ranchman's togs—he's happy and at ease, and he prefers them beyond all comparing to the drapery and hat brim of "Don Caesar de Bazan" or the correct evening clothes which dazzled "Letty."

And another remarkable point and one which makes for the success of "The Squaw Man," especially in preserving the integrity of the atmosphere, is that the assembled company of ranchmen and Indians are the "real [illegible]" so to speak, for at least half [illegible] know more about the plains than they do about Broadway.

Filled with Spirit of the West.

Take W. S. Hart for example, who [illegible] "Cash Hawkins," rustler and general bad man. Until he was fifteen years old he had never been off a ranch, and had been brought up a cowboy. The spirit of the West is still alive within him, and he declares the play has been like a visit back home."

Frederick Watson, the marvellous Indian chief, knows Indians better than white men, having lived among them, speaking their language, and when he makes up his face, he does so not from a Remington drawing, nor a sofa pillow red man, but from the memory he holds of an Indian chief, whom he counts as his friend, and to this old warrior's complexion and [illegible] session takes him two hours of work with grease paints and powders.

Harold Russell, who is "Big Bill," foreman of the ranch, knows his West by [illegible] experience, and so does W. E. Knibl[illegible], who jabbers Ute to Frederick Watson as fast as Baco White, the interpreter who taught them both.

Drives the "Blue Devils" to Cover.

Clever Julie Opp, Mr. Faversham's handsome wife, who plays Diana, the wife of the English cousin, declares that "the atmosphere of 'The Squaw Man' consists largely of fuller's earth," so generously is that article used to make alkali dust.

By the way, though Julie Opp has less of a dramatic chance than she deserves, she is by all odds the most important and useful member of the company. It seems scarcely appropriate to call such a lovely and stately woman a "ray of sunshine," but if you pick out the sentiment and discard the absurdity, you catch the meaning.

Optimistic, kindly, enthusiastic, encouraging, sparkling with wit, which is never unkind, Julie Opp is the inspiration of that region known as "behind scenes."

Everything, in her eyes, has its good side, no matter how you may have to twist it to find the goodness, and in the presence of such a person the blue devils sneak away and life grows bright.

"Anybody can do anything he has to if he is determined," is Julie Opp's motto, and it has been adopted by every member of the company.

As an example of happy theatrical partnerships note Mr. and Mrs. William Faversham. They work together with the common determination to succeed, to do to-day a little better than they did yesterday. Besides their stage interests they have the home—and the baby.

"Oh! the baby," cries Mrs. Faversham, and begins a rhapsody of the charms of fifteen-months-old Faversham, Jr.

Happy Pair Blessed by the Fairies.

"Yes, the baby," chimes in Mr. Faversham, and almost forgets his cue.

And "you might know he was a father," says Mr. Newberry, snuffing suspiciously as Jim Carston does his duty and sends his son home to England.

"I'm glad to see," I remarked to Mr. Faversham, "that husband and wife can dwell and play in peace and harmony in the same company."

"They are better for being in the same company," he declared. "They always have been, until jealousy steps in. My wife and I are not jealous. All we want is success, and we each recognize the other's right to it."

Before Julie Opp went to England and won her laurel wreath in George Alexander's company, she was on the way to recognition as a short story writer. Stage life and maternal duties have not erased that early ambition, and she has recently brought out a book telling the story of "The Squaw Man," inspired by the play, which is now in its second edition, and a "great, big success," so do you wonder that Mr. and Mrs. William Faversham are simly radiant with happiness?

A winning play, a wonderful baby, a successful book and a bright future—and the best the good fairies ever give is three wishes.

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Age 6 years,
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Since it has become generally known that Danderine causes hair to grow just as abundantly on the heads of children as it does on those of matured persons, many truly marvelous cases are coming to our notice. Little Miss Russell, whose photograph appears above, is certainly one of the remarkable ones. Her beautiful hair is over thirty inches long and her mother says that "DANDERINE GREW EVERY BIT OF IT."

MISS SELMA HASSELL,
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THE BRIDES-TO-BE OF THE JUNE-TO-BE

Dashing Trio Noted Favorites of "400" for Brilliancy; to Be June Brides

Matrimonial Wave in Back Bay Captures Young Leaders.

MISSES Hannah Stevenson, Cornelia Thayer and Mary Coolidge Hall are among the hosts of the Hub's most charming girls in the "400" set who are preparing to walk the rose-strewn way of June bridals.

Of this delightful trio of brides-to-be Miss Stevenson is the most recently engaged. As the popular president of the Vincent Club she has been conspicuously prominent the past two seasons, and her engagement to Samuel Huntington Wolcott, modestly announced by notes to her friends last Monday, has caused her to be deluged with flowers the past week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Stevenson of Beacon street, and her brothers are Thomas G., Harvard, '96, of the Somerset, Tennis and Racquet and Country clubs, and Robert H., Jr., Harvard, '97, and member of the Somerset, Tennis and Racquet and Exchange clubs.

Miss Stevenson, who is a petite brunette, is by far the most genuinely popular girl in Boston. She rides, drives and plays tennis with all the grace and charm with which she reigns in the ballroom or in her club's theatricals.

Mr. Wolcott is a son of the late Governor Wolcott and Mrs. Wolcott. He is a Harvard '02 man and a member of the Tennis and Racquet Club. His brother, William Prescott, graduated from Harvard in the same class and he has a younger brother, Oliver. His sister is Miss Cornelia Wolcott.

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Stately blonde Cordelia Thayer, whose engagement to Count von Moltke was announced in the early Winter, is to be married at her father's estate in Lancaster about the middle of the month. With her mother and younger sister, Sally, she sails in March for a two months' visit in Europe, during which time they will select the bride's trousseau.

Miss Thayer is the eldest daughter of Nathaniel Thayer, the well-known banker, and is a member of the Vincent Club. She is especially devoted to charity, and is a welcome [illegible] Children's Hospital, where she spends much of her time each day in amusing the children with fairy stories. She met the Count in Europe a little over a year ago, since which time he has been most constant in his attentions. The Count is a distant relative of the late General von Moltke, the famous German warrior.

Miss Hall, whose engagement to Benjamin Young was announced last month, is the second daughter of Mrs. Richard J. Hall, one of the wealthiest widows in Boston society. Miss Hall is of the Gibson girl type and made quite a sensation when she came out two seasons ago. She has passed most of her Summers abroad, mostly in France, where her mother has a villa. Her sister is Miss Elsie Hall, who was presented several seasons ago, and is a favorite in the social world.

The prospective bride has inherited much of her mother's talent for music and is an excellent linguist. She is prominently identified with the Vincent Club.

Mr. Young is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lovett Young of Beacon street.

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At a recent and secret session of the Vincent Club to consider plans for the annual show which it will give in April, the club poet, who happens not to be among the many engaged members, sat apart, and in somewhat pensive mood pencilled the following lines found upon the floor after the meeting adjourned:

May St. Vincent and St. Valentine and all the saints above
Call a halt upon the actions of the little God of Love!
He's creating fearful havoc that is stirring up the Hub,
He's completely devastating our exclusive Vincent Club.

Oh, Cupid! cruel Cupid! How can you play such pranks,
And so utterly demoralize our fast depleting ranks?
You reckless little rascal, don't you know it is a sin
Against all the Club's traditions—this audacious "butting in"?

You're felling victims by the dozens, and still you're not content,
For I know just twenty others upon whom your aim is bent.
Last, but not least, you've stricken our tried and trusty chief—
"Happy Hannah's" base desertion has brought us all to grief.

Oh, Hannah! heartless Hannah! To desert the sinking ship!
To work us just like galley slaves, then give us all the slip!
Oh, Cupid! clever Cupid! You're a wizard, that I trow;
Now please, PLEASE spare enough of us to just give one more show.

MISS CORNELIA THAYER.

MISS HANNAH STEVENSON,

Remarkable snapshots by a Boston Sunday American Staff Photographer.

Brilliant Easter and June Fetes to Follow

Cupid's Rich Harvest

By A Society Woman.

SURPRISE of Surprise! A perfect matrimonial wave is sweeping through fashionable Back Bay and Brookline circles, threatening to carry everything before it—even some of this season's most prominent buds.

The epidemic is raging in the ranks of the well-guarded and supposedly immune Vincent Club at a rate that would spell the dissolution of that organization were it not for the ever growing army of raw recruits from Bud-dom.

By St. Valentine's day enough more announced engagements will be added to the already lengthening list to insure a perfect deluge of June bridals—to say nothing of several brilliant ceremonies scheduled for Easter.

There has been clearly evident a mild reaction from the ultra athletic fad that has made the typical Boston society girl almost a terror to would-be suitors. Not that she is reverting to the clinging type by any means, but that her interest in sewing circle leagues, cooking classes, etc., gives her a demure, domestic air, suggesting a pretty Priscilla-like pose, the charm of which even the "smartest" can never outgrow.

Wedding Bells for Easter Tide

THAT handsome Mary Hoague has elected that her wedding to Charles Sheafe shall be an affair of the Easter period is the latest bit of rumor concerning newly engaged girls in society. Miss Hoague, who came out some two Winters ago, was one of the most prominent and best liked girls of her year. She is one of the most accomplished members of the Vincent Club, and at its show last year took the part of a man in the chorus. She is a sister of Theodore Hoague, Harvard, '98, and lives with him at the Mt. Vernon street house. She returned on Thursday from a two weeks' visit with friends in New York. She is a decided brunette, and has a most interesting personality.

The prospective groom is a brother of William Sheafe of Beacon street, and has been more or less identified with the Philippines of late.

Miss Agnes Lincoln has also chosen Easter for her marriage to James Dean of Beacon street. Miss Lincoln is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lamb Lincoln, and is a strikingly handsome girl. The wedding will be celebrated in the First Parish Church of Brookline, with which the Lincolns have been prominently identified for many years.

Bride-to-Be Defies Tyranny of Fashion

DEFYING the tyranny of fashion Miss Nancy Piper has chosen mid-Lent for her wedding to Matthew Hale of Albany, N. Y. The pretty bride-to-be is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Taggard Piper (born Bridge) of Brattle street, Cambridge, and has been a great favorite since her presentation. Mr. Piper is a Harvard '74 man and a member of the Union and Oakley Country Clubs.

The wedding will take place February 23, at the First Parish Church in Cambridge, the ceremony to be performed by the Rev. Dr. Hall, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Crother.

Miss Elizabeth Piper will be her sister's maid of honor. Roger Ernst will be the groom's best man, and there will be eight ushers. The bride will be given in marriage by her father. A reception at the Piper residence will follow the [illegible]. After an extended tour the young couple will reside in Boston.

Close "Bud" Functions With Dances

LAST among the bud functions of the Winter will be the two dances this month, the first on the 5th for popular Ruth Winsor, and the other on the 15th for Miss Margaret Pope.

Miss Winsor is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Winsor of Walnut street, Brookline, and a granddaughter of the late Martin Parry Kennard, and bears the distinction of being the most girlish in appearance of any of her sister buds. She is vivacious and dainty, and is already very popular. Her debut will be made at a dinner folowed by a dance at the Algonquin Club. There will be no cotillon and no ushers. Miss Winsor will wear white and will carry American Beauty roses.

Miss Pope is the second daughter of Mrs. Benjamin Pope of Beacon street, Brookline, and her formal bow will be made at the dance which her mother is giving for her at the Country Club. She is proving a great success, and is carrying away many of the laurels of her debutante season.

PRE-LENTEN GAIETY IN BLAZING ZENITH

Society, Tired by the Incessant Whirl of Events the Past Week, and Others to [illegible], Await Calm.

[illegible] the past week [illegible] on Monday [illegible] Algonquin Club [illegible] set Tuesday evening [illegible] Somerset Friday evening [illegible] the horse show [illegible] Saturday afternoon [illegible] looking to [illegible].

On Friday [illegible] the second [illegible] will be held at the Somerset. [illegible] Mrs. George [illegible] Francis Peabody [illegible] Mrs. Henry [illegible] Winthrop Sears [illegible] Grafton [illegible] and Barrett Wendell, Jr., [illegible] and Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer are the ladies on the committee.

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[illegible] Harvard [illegible] Assistant Secretary of the Navy, who is a Harvard [illegible] of Cambridge and Boston. [illegible]

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Under smart patronage the Arts and Crafts Society will hold its opening night next [illegible] with a [illegible] reception in [illegible] designed not only to make the exhibition the greatest event of its kind ever held in the country, but also to have it recorded as one of the leading social events of the season.

The patronesses include Mrs. D. D. Addison, Mrs. George R. Agassiz, Mrs. Alfred Bowditch, Mrs. Charles Sumner Bird, Mrs. Leverett Bradley, Mrs. Peter C. Brooks, Mrs. Shepherd Brooks, Mrs. Arthur Astor Carey, Mrs. Charles P. [illegible], Miss Sarah H. Crocker, Miss Eleanor [illegible], Mrs. William [illegible] Fay, Miss Harriet J. Gould, Mrs. John Chipman Gray, Miss Elizabeth R. Greene, Mrs. Henry L. Higginson, Mrs. J. Samuel Hodge, Miss Elizabeth G. Houghton, Mrs. George Dudley Howe, Mrs. James [illegible] Howe, Mrs. Henry P. Kidder, Miss Rose Lamb, Miss Alice M. Longfellow, Mrs. Francis C. Lowell, Miss [illegible] F. Mason, Miss Fanny P. Mason, Mrs. Daniel Merriman, Miss Frances R. Morse, Mrs. Everett Morss, Miss [illegible], Mrs. William L. Parker, Mrs. John Forbes Perkins, Mrs. John C. Phillips, Miss Annie C. Putnam, Mrs. Charles S. Sargent, Mrs. Winthrop Sargent, Mrs. J. Montgomery Sears, Mrs. George R. Shaw, Mrs. James J. Storrow, Mrs. [illegible], Mrs. C. Howard Walker, Mrs. [illegible] Langford Warren, Mrs. Frederic Allen Whiting.

The committee on the exhibition are H. Langford Warren, [illegible], Ernest M. A[illegible], J. Templeman Coolidge, Jr., Ralph Adams Cram, Henry Lewis Johnson, George Prentiss Kendrick, A. W. Longfellow, Miss Alice J. Morse, Miss Amy M. Sacker, Miss Mary [illegible], Mrs. George R. Shaw, Daniel Berkeley Updike, C. Howard Walker, Edward R. Warren, Harold B. Warren, Frederic Allen Whiting.

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For the second in the series of Miss Terry's chamber concerts at the Somerset next Monday, Carl Baermann, the pianist, who has seldom appeared in public of late, will give a recital. On February 11 the [illegible] Club of Virtuosi plays, and Miss [illegible] Ormond, the alto, sings. On February 18 Miss Susan Metcalfe appears for the first time this season.

SMART SOCIETY IN EXODUS TO EUROPE

The early February exodus to southern Europe and other warm climates will seriously deplete the ranks of smart society.

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Mrs. Her[illegible] S[illegible] of Commonwealth avenue, who [illegible] the rest cure in New York [illegible] is much improved, and with [illegible] young daughters is sailing in February to spend the Spring months abroad.

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Mrs. T. Jones Bowker of Beacon street, who entertained several guests [illegible] Friday night, going from there to the [illegible] ball, is another of the smart set [illegible] planning to sail this month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Washington B. Thomas with their charming young daughter, Miss Helen Thomas, a debutante of [illegible], whose rumored engagement to [illegible] Winter Warren is persistently denied, and Miss [illegible] Thomas, are sailing on the 19th for an extended tour abroad. Mr. Thomas will take his automobile and chauffeur, and they will spend the greater part of their time until June in automobiling in Europe and on the continent.

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Miss Juliet Higginson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Higginson of Beacon street, is sailing shortly after the wedding in New York on the 27th of her cousin, Miss Dorothy Lee Higginson, to Arthur [illegible] Weeks. Miss Higginson will spend much of her time with her brother, F. L. Higginson, Jr.

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The Bayard Thayers, who have [illegible] longer than usual at their [illegible] this Winter, will spend a few weeks in Washington before sailing for a tour of the continent. They will return in April.

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Mrs. Andrew Robeson and her daughter Miss Harriet Robeson of [illegible] street, Brookline, are sailing early in the month for a [illegible] stay in Europe.

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Mrs. Allen Curtis of Beacon street is sailing for a month [illegible] an extended motor tour through Southern Europe. Upon her return in June she will take up her abode in her North Shore country home for the Summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W[illegible], who have been the guests of Mrs. Winthrop [illegible], Mrs. C. W. Amory of [illegible] Beacon street, are sailing this week for Porto Rico, where they will be the guests of Governor Beekman Winthrop.

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Miss Eleanor Hammond of Commonwealth avenue is sailing this month for a tour of the continent, returning to Boston the first of May.

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Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, who have been abroad for two seasons, will occupy their Newport villa, "Fairholm," on Ochre Point, next Summer.

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Colonel Jacob Astor heads the floor committee for the forthcoming charity ball in New York.

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Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Miss Gladys Vanderbilt are at [illegible], where they have taken apartments for the Winter.

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Mrs. French E. Chadwick of Newport has formed a French reading circle, the members including Mrs. T. Shaw S[illegible], Mrs. A. G. Vanderbilt, Mrs. John Nicholas Brown, Mrs. H. W. H. Powel, Miss Diman, Miss L. L. Betton, Miss Ellis and Mrs. Hamilton Fish Webster.

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William B. Leeds has closed out his entire line of smart horses and traps, as he is going in for all saddles, particularly during the Newport season.

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Senor Don Juan Riano, the newly appointed Spanish Minister to Norway and Denmark, and Mme. Riano are to spend the greater part of next Summer at Newport, where they will be newcomers.

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CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY'S BOSTON AMERICAN

Synopsis.

FRANK the hero and Reginald Bracebridge [illegible] on the piazza at Saratoga. [illegible] preoccupied [illegible] among party of [illegible] Frank [illegible] He [illegible] foreigner [illegible] demanding that she [illegible] a stone [illegible] that [illegible] den [illegible] to [illegible]

Frank [illegible] stranger [illegible] Frank [illegible] bystanders [illegible] her [illegible] open it [illegible]

Frank [illegible] Reginald [illegible] Frank [illegible]

Frank [illegible] Bracebridge [illegible] the [illegible] is told Reginald [illegible]

At [illegible] Reginald [illegible] Slavinsky [illegible]

CHAPTER XV.

The Painting

FRANK swung Kate around so that she faced the [illegible]. He pushed [illegible] before her. "[illegible] your head in your hands and pretend to be reading," he whispered quickly. Then he turned to the officers who were busily examining the painting.

"You were speaking of this painting," he asked quietly.

"Yes," said Bittinger. "I'm sorry, Mr. Bracebridge, for I know this is a valuable painting and I don't want to damage it. But we can't afford to take any risk. This picture is plenty large enough to conceal a small room or closet behind it and you [illegible] such a place."

Frank bowed his acknowledgements.

"I am not so clever as you think me," he said. "But is it really necessary to remove that painting? It cost several thousand dollars, as you must know, and I wouldn't like to have it damaged. I assure you you would only have your trouble for your pains, while I might suffer a serious loss if the painting was injured."

While he was talking Frank stood with his back against the painting, his hands clasped [illegible] behind his back. Even the eagle eyes of the detectives, and there were none better on the New York police force, did not detect that [illegible] fingers were busy with the frame while he was talking.

"You are absolutely [illegible] that you must remove the painting?" he said at last.

"Absolutely," answered Bittinger.

"Well, then, I won't [illegible] with you further. But I beg of you to be very careful of it."

The officers immediately stepped forward and grasped [illegible] by which the painting [illegible] fastened to the wall. When the [illegible] was released the top of the [illegible] toppled forward and if Frank [illegible] sprang to the assistance of [illegible] the picture would have [illegible] to the floor [illegible]

[illegible] three men proved sufficient to [illegible] the picture to the centre of the [illegible]. Then they turned to inspect the wall that it had covered.

Katie stuffed her fingers in her ears and her hands over her eyes. So sure was she that the next moment would see the [illegible] of [illegible] dragged out ignominiously by the officers of the law.

"[illegible]," said [illegible], "do you see anything suspicious?"

Before the eyes of the puzzled officers there was only [illegible] wall exactly like all the [illegible] of wall in the room. Bittinger [illegible] looked at each other, then at the wall and then at Frank.

"We pass, Mr. Bracebridge," said Loftus, disappointment showing in his tone. "However, you got that young fellow out of here, whether you sent him up through the chimney or buried him in the cellar, the fact [illegible] you have beaten us out. He isn't in the house now, that I'll swear. And he [illegible] the house by any entrance [illegible] I'll swear [illegible] [illegible] wasting further than here."

Puzzled!

He turned to Katie doubtfully.

"We might take her with us," he suggested to Bittinger.

Bittinger looked at the honest open [illegible] girl. "No, sir, [illegible] eyes and we couldn't get anything out of her. Take her address and we will be able to pick her up when we want her."

"PALLID, shaking and trembling, Reginald crept out from the low closet in which he had been hidden."

Officer Loftus entered the address of the trembling girl in his memorandum book and the two officers [illegible] to take their leave.

"I know you will not misunderstand me, gentlemen," said Frank [illegible] "when I say that I am not sorry to see you go."

"We can well understand that," returned Loftus, laughing. "And I hope we may be able to apprehend your cousin without disturbing you again."

"I will not join with you in your hope," replied Frank, smiling again as he politely bowed them out.

As soon as they reached the street he locked and barred the door behind them. Then he went directly to the servants' quarters and gave orders that every one except James should [illegible] at once.

"Remain in your room," he said sternly, "until morning. James, you will remain within call. But do not answer any ringing at either the front or rear doors. See that all doors and windows are secure and let me know if there is any suspicious person prowling around outside or if any attempt is made to force an entrance."

Frank then retraced his steps to the library, where Katie sat staring at the painting and the blank wall behind it as if she were turned to stone.

"Am I dreaming?" she asked, looking up as Frank entered. "Didn't Mr. Reginald go behind that picture?"

"You are puzzled, aren't you, Katie?" said Frank, smiling. "Yes, Reginald went behind that painting, and, what's more, he's going to come out from behind the painting in just a moment. The picture has a double back."

He strode over to the painting, which the combined efforts of the three men had fastened to the wall with its hooks, and touched a concealed spring in its frame.

This time Katie's wondering eyes saw the picture and the section of the wall again move outward into the room.

"Come out, Reg," said Frank softly.

CHAPTER XVI.

The Hidden Stone

PALLID, shaking and trembling, Reginald crept out from the low closet in which he had been hidden.

"Are they gone?" he gasped.

"Yes," said Frank. "[illegible] no danger for the present, though they may return to repeat their search at any time. I must think what's to be done with you now."

"I never knew you had such a place as this in the house, Frank," said Reginald.

"Neither did anyone else," replied Frank. "You should have known, however. Every Bracebridge of the clutched hand will need a place like this some day in his life until the curse be lifted from our house. So goes the family legend."

"What are you talking about, Frank?" asked Reginald, curiously. "What curse?"

"I haven't time to tell you more now, Reg," said Frank. "You are not to be trusted with it yet, either. For the present I can only say that no Bracebridge has ever been without the knowledge of mechanics necessary to build such a hiding place as this in his own house."

"Is that why dad made me study that measly trade?" asked Reginald. "When I was a little shaver he apprenticed me to a carpenter out of school hours. He had taught me other branches of mechanics, too. I didn't learn them very well, but I had to stay there anyway."

"That is the reason, Reg," returned Frank. "I don't believe you could build such a hiding place as this, but your father intended that you should be able to do so if the occasion for it arose."

"Did you build this one, Frank?" asked Reginald.

"No, my father built this; but I built another one in a little house I own and I could build a dozen were there need of them.

"But enough of this. We are wasting precious time now, and there is work cut out for me to do. Let me see that locket once more."

Frank took the locket from Reginald's fingers and examined it again very closely. He turned it over and over in his hands. He ran his finger over the face of the picture it contained. He traced with his finger all the delicate chasing on the outside.

Meaningless?

"Ah! I thought so," he exclaimed, as with a sudden pressure of his finger the back of the locket flew open.

Within there were two or three sheets of flimsy paper, enveloping some hard substance. He unwrapped the paper. Katie and Reginald had drawn near him and all three gasped in astonishment when the hard substance was finally exposed to view.

It was a magnificent diamond, flawless and of the clearest water.

"Oh, how beautiful!" gasped Katie, her woman's instinct responding to the demand of the jewel for admiration.

"What the devil!" cried Reginald.

Only Frank was silent. He looked at the sheets of flimsy paper again. Two of them were blank. One was torn and jagged at the edge and was covered with meaningless lines and dots.

Meaningless?

Frank knew intuitively as he gazed upon that paper and that magnificent gleaming stone that the secret of the Bracebridges at last lay within his grasp.

How strange it was that the lost [illegible] should have lain tightly clasped in the childish hands of Reginald's dead wife.

An inspiration seized him.

Reginald's child and heir! The heir not only to immense wealth [illegible] to one of the most tremendous secrets the world had ever known.

Where was that child?

Even as he propounded the question to himself he knew the answer. The heir to the Bracebridge millions and the Bracebridge secret was in the custody of the one man who stood in the way of solving that secret.

Frank knew as well as if he had seen the smiling devil face to face that the man who was striking at Reginald through the cowardly giving of false information to the police, the man whom he was firmly convinced had stolen Reginald's child, was none other than the man of whom beautiful Vera Slavinsky entertained such poignant dread and horror.

"Wait here a moment," he said to Reginald and Katie.

He sought his bedroom and closed the door behind him. From an inner pocket he took out the case containing the diamond necklace which his [illegible] and [illegible]. He opened the case and spread the [illegible] gems out upon the bed. [illegible] places with the [illegible]

Fitted in Place

He picked up the diamond which had come from the locket and fitted it in one of the empty spaces. It [illegible] perfectly. Even a tyro could have told that it originally formed part of that costly, glittering bauble.

He turned his eyes on the piece of paper that had wrapped the stone and studied its lines and dots. Then from the case that inclosed the necklace he took a circular piece of flimsy paper and placed it beside the one which Reginald's wife had carried so long. The two pieces fitted. One half of the map lay before him.

Hesitatingly Frank drew from his pocket another package. It was the one Madame Slavinsky had slipped into his hand in the darkness of the veranda at French Lick Springs. She had given him permission to open it if he wished. He knew that the time had come when he must do so. He knew, too, what he would find in that package.

Carefully, almost reverently, he unwrapped it and drew forth a third sheet of tissue and another magnificent diamond.

He laid them down on the bed with the others. One fourth of the missing map, one lustrous gem, were all that were needed to disclose the Bracebridge secret. He knew only too well where that missing piece of paper and that stone were. He knew as well as if he had seen them in his possession that they reposed in the breast pocket of Dr. Mueller, that elusive, unknown, smiling, devilish foreigner who had crossed his path so repeatedly and so mysteriously.

"The cards are nearly all in my hands now," exulted Frank. "You think you have scored heavily, Mueller," he growled as vehemently as if the man stood before him, "but you have not. I will never rest until I have tracked you down, not until your smiling, treacherous face no longer remains on top of this earth to terrify the women [illegible]"

Frank checked himself abruptly.

"Pull up, old fellow," he whispered to himself. "No time for sentiment now. It is going to be a ticklish job getting Reginald out of here."

He went back into the room where Reginald and Katie awaited him.

"Get ready for a journey, Reg," he said brusquely. "You can have any of my things that you can wear. Take that black bag and throw some things into it. Make haste and be ready to start in twenty minutes."

He made his way to the front entrance and looked out cautiously. What he saw outside caused him to start angrily.

TO BE CONTINUED IN TOMORROW'S BOSTON AMERICAN.

EARLY FEBRUARY EXODUS TO EUROPE THINS RANKS OF BOSTON'S SMART SET

Numerous Bookings Tell of Heavy Tide of Travel Over Winter Seas.

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Mrs. Roger Wolcott, who has only recently returned from Washington, where she was entertained by Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and others, is planning to sail this month for a two months' sojourn in Europe. She will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Cornelia Wolcott.

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Mr. and Mrs. Otto B. Cole of Boylston street sailed yesterday for Algeria, where they will spend the month.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw of Commonwealth avenue have gone to California to spend February.

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Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson, who are at present in Washington, will spend Lent in Florida on the [illegible] which they have leased from John W. Gates of New York. Mrs. Anderson was a conspicuous figure at the "Benedicts'" ball on Friday evening.

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Mrs. George Lee Peabody (Elizabeth Crowninshield), who has been abroad for some time, is at present visiting friends at Market Harbor, England.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Webster of Chestnut Hill went over to New York on Friday for the wedding the following day of Mr. Webster's cousin, Pauline Morton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Morton, to J. Hopkins Smith, Jr., in St. Thomas's Church.

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Mrs. Arthur Hunnewell of Dartmouth street is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George [illegible], at her Lenox estate.

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[illegible] who came over from New York [illegible] the Artists' Festival in Copley Hall Monday [illegible] is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edward J. Holmes, at her [illegible] residence.

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Mrs. L. J. Webster is spending some time with Mr. Webster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Webster, at their Commonwealth avenue residence.

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Miss Amy Lowell of Commonwealth avenue was among the [illegible] past week [illegible] taking place Wednesday evening.

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Among [illegible] who [illegible] night was [illegible] Mr. Henry [illegible] Quincy [illegible] street home for her [illegible] Mrs. Robert S. [illegible] of Commonwealth avenue was another [illegible] on the same evening [illegible] daughter.

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Mrs. Benjamin [illegible] entertained a large [illegible] house on Commonwealth [illegible] Saturday afternoon.

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Mrs. John Gardner [illegible] was another hostess of the week, entertaining a large party at luncheon on [illegible]

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Perkins (Edith Forbes), who are at present in Burlington, Iowa, will open their Commonwealth avenue house the last of February.

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Mrs. John Caswell, who has been spending the Winter in New York, is the guest of her sister, Miss Phyllis Rhodes, at the Robbins home on Commonwealth avenue.

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Mrs. Hugh Whitney is another guest in town this week for whom many hospitalities have been given. She is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. L. Higginson.

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Mrs. Samuel Thorne, Jr., who was the guest of her mother, Mr. Arthur Cheney [illegible] retired life [illegible] to Rye, N. Y.

ROMANCE LEADS TO WEDDING AT MANILA

Two Gotham Nuptials Also Arouse Interest Among the Smart Set of Boston.

In the world of weddings one of the most important was that in far away Manila the past week of Margaret Leighton, daughter of Mrs. Cedric Leighton, and niece of Celia Thaxter, to Edward Waldo Forbes, son of Mr. [illegible] Forbes of Milton.

Mr. Forbes is a Harvard, '95, man, is a member of the St. Botolph and other clubs, and is a brother of William Cameron Forbes of the Philippines and of Waldo E. [illegible] Harvard, '02.

Miss Leighton, who is exceptionally [illegible] and charming, has [illegible] been the companion of Mrs. [illegible] Milton home, and it was [illegible] romance started.

Mrs. Forbes was Edith [illegible] daughter of the [illegible] son. [illegible] of Tuesday [illegible] in Manila with Mrs. Forbes [illegible] visiting there with her son [illegible] Forbes, and it was from there [illegible] of the engagement was received [illegible] Mr. Forbes has business in the P[illegible] which will necessitate his residence there for some time.

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A New York wedding which interests a large contingent of Boston society is that of Miss Dorothy Lee Higginson and Arthur Delano Weeks, Jr., which takes place in the Chantry of Grace Church, New York, Feb. 27. Miss Higginson is related to the Boston Higginsons and with her brother, Mrs. James J. Higginson, has been a recent guest of Boston relatives. The Higginsons are also prominently identified with the North Shore Summer colony, so that their Boston friends are numerous.

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Another Gotham wedding this month which interests the smart set here is that of Miss Florence Flower of New York to [illegible] Barbey, which takes place on Wednesday, Feb. 6, in St. Thomas's Church. Mr. Barbey is very popular in Boston, as he figured prominently in social affairs during his course at Harvard, from which college he graduated in '04.

The groom's older brother, Henry G. Barbey, Harvard '94, will serve as best man and the group of ushers will be made [illegible] classmates of the groom.

Miss Estelle Flower will be her sister's maid of honor. Owing to the death of [illegible] B. [illegible] father of the groom, the wedding will be a quiet one. Mrs. Barbey was one of one of New York's best families, was formerly Miss Mary Lorillard.

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Cards are out for the wedding of Miss Frances [illegible] of Winter Hill, to Frank [illegible] of Boston, at the Church of Our Lady of Pompeii Wednesday evening, February 6.

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A number of Bostonians have received invitations from Mr. and Mrs. Frank Diel for the wedding breakfast which will follow the marriage of their daughter Marie, and Edward H. Goodrich of Boston on February 6 at No. 153 Holland street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Miss Diel's only attendant will be her sister, Frances, and Ralph Menard of this city will be best man. Mr. and Mrs. Goodrich will be at home after the middle of March at the Normandie in Philadelphia.

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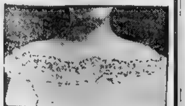
He also finds by his enormous experience that many people with fine organizations are slowly dying from chronic starvation because they do not supply their body with food suited to their diagnosed condition. The fact is, many people are consuming food ideally suited to their neighbor's condition but poisonous to their own. A physician of limited experience cannot diagnose a case until the patient is dead and a post-mortem has been performed. Others, of a little more experience, diagnose a case a few hours before the patient's death. A mechanic who would attempt to repair a machine before he finds out what was the matter with it would be considered a fool. No man of sense would force a machine to run after he knew that some internal part was out of order. Yet thousands of persons, suffering from chronic disorders, go through life without knowing their exact physical condition.

Dr. Thomas prefers not to diagnose the cases of persons who are confined to bed, or admittedly incurable—cases such as locomotor ataxia, articular rheumatism, diabetes, etc.; such cases have been neglected too long.

Remember the Diagnosis Is FREE.

Professional etiquette causes me to remove the upper part of these pictures to conceal the identity of the individual, but the name and address will be given to responsible parties.

This case was incorrectly diagnosed and treated until she became a living skeleton racked by complicated chronic disorders.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WHEN the press of this country is practically united in a frenzied attempt to overthrow what they cannot understand—read what the greatest American Playwright—author of "The Lion and the Mouse," "The Music Master," "Daughters of Men," has to say in defence of Christian Science—a sane, masterful torrent of common-sense that cannot fail to silence the shallow, to arouse the attentive and to convince the conscientious.

CHARLES KLEIN.

FALL RIVER MOURNS THE DEATH OF REV. DR. STANG, ITS FIRST BISHOP

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THAW TO TAKE STAND IN OWN DEFENCE

Jerome Is to Call as a Witness Girl Whom White's Slayer Is Said to Have Tried to Ensnare

FALL RIVER BOAT RUNS ON ROCKS IN FOG

Steamer Warren of Enterprise Line, Bound for New York, Aground Off Newport.

PASSENGERS ALL SAVED BY TUG SOLICITOR

Boat, Bound for New York, Left Fall River at 7 O'Clock.

SHIP LOST COURSE AND HIT DUMPLING ROCKS

Signals of Distress Brought Tug to the Rescue of the Stranded Ship.

NEWPORT, R. I., Feb. 3.—The Enterprise Line steamship Warren went ashore at 1 o'clock this morning on the rocks known as the Dumplings, off Fort Adams. All the passengers were taken off by the tug Solicitor.

The Warren was bound for New York. She left Fall River at 7 o'clock.

The vessel went ashore during a heavy fog. The first news of her plight became known from signals of distress heard at Fort Adams, and the torpedo station.

Tug Sent to Rescue.

The torpedo station at once telephoned to a wrecking company, and the tug Solicitor with a lighter was sent over to the Dumplings. It was supposed at the time that a tug with a tow of barges was in peril.

Within an hour after the first signals were heard all of the passengers had been taken off and brought to this city.

When the fog lifted a row of red lights could be clearly discerned.

It then became known that the vessel in peril must be a coastwise [illegible]

Work of Rescue Difficult.

The Brenton Reef Life Saving Station at once dispatched boats to the wreck, although the sea was running high, and the work of rescue was difficult.

Lighters were at once dispatched to the scene. The passengers were taken off with some difficulty. Between 200 and 300 passengers are believed to have been aboard.

Hard to Get News.

Owing to the long distance from the central points great difficulty was experienced in getting particulars of the wreck. By long distance telephone the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN learned from the wreckers and life saving station the meagre details that could be obtained.

Captain O'Neill at Brenton Reef's life saving station stated over the telephone to the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN after the return of the life-saving crew from the ship:

Lying in Smooth Water.

"We sent a boat out. The vessel was lying in smooth water. We went alongside, but the tug Solicitor had arrived and they had taken a hawser aboard.

"The tug was pulling the Warren off the rocks, and they didn't need our services. There was apparently no danger."

40 TO TELL FOXBORO ABUSES.

Many More Witnesses Summoned in Investigation of Dipsomaniac Institution.

TO GET MORE TESTIMONY OF NEGLECT OF PATIENTS

Poor Food, Access to Weapons and Poisons by the Patients, Charges Already Aired.

"GRAFT" ACCUSATIONS AGAINST THE OFFICIALS

Say State Farm and Dairy Products Failed to Reach Suffering Patients.

THAT no less than forty witnesses are to be summonsed by Tuesday next to give testimony in the investigation now being conducted into the State Institution for Dipsomaniacs and Inebriates at Foxboro by Lieutenant-Governor Eben S. Draper and members of the Governor's council was announced yesterday.

So far, in the investigation it has been testified that men died at Foxboro after being assaulted by attendants, that at least one man committed suicide.

Witnesses have said that poisons and loaded weapons were within access of the patients, that the food was poor, that one ward was made a prison ward, unless at times the Governor was expected, that the products of the State farm and dairy never found their way into the institution for its suffering patients, that machinery and supplies were furnished by men, some of them trustees of the concern and that persons hired to do work for the institution were usually employed in making furniture and bric-a-brac for the homes of certain officials out of material purchased with the money of the State.

To Tell of Abuse.

It was agreed upon by Attorney Henry C. Long, the prosecutor, and Detective Scott to summon at least ten witnesses to testify on each of several important charges made against the conduct of the institution.

These men are to tell of the general neglect and even abuse of the patients; the abuse of Patient Haggerty, who, it is charged, died in a straitjacket without competent attention; the beatings administered to Joseph A. Hicks, through whose complaints the present investigation was largely brought about; the abuse of Patient Vinal, an old and helpless man, and a review of the accounts of the State embracing all sorts of expenditures at the institution.

It was agreed that ten witnesses to each matter would be sufficient, although Henry C. Long said he could call three times the number.

These witnesses will not testify voluntarily. Hence the necessity of issuing summonses for them.

Question of Religious Liberty.

A spectator who refused to reveal his identity addressed Chairman Draper and wanted to know if Foxboro inmates had free religious liberty. He had been told the contrary. His inquiries elicited that when a patient named Sullivan died he had spiritual consolation from a Roman Catholic clergyman. The stranger promised to have something to present on this score later.

Another witness who admitted that he ran away from Foxboro said he returned because a politician whom he would not name had promised that he should receive an immediate release. He said:

"Six of us ran away together after an attendant named Judge assaulted me. He said that I assaulted him, and I was later put before the court, but was acquitted.

"Once I heard a patient named Hunter, who was in delirium tremens, cry out during a beating, 'For God's sake don't kick me again,' to which an attendant replied, 'I'll kick you if you don't let me sleep.'"

PITTSBURG GIRL WHO MAY DOOM THAW CASE

MISS IDA FITCH.

MRS. M'LEAN HOPES TO END LOCAL D. A. R. QUARREL

The diplomacy and persuasive qualities of Mrs. Donald McLean of New York, president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution, is likely to settle the quarrel that has stirred the Boston chapter and has brought three of the local leaders into court.

Two months ago Mrs. Ethel F. Richards of Newton Centre, Mrs. Helen Mullally and Miss Bertha Jones, both of Dorchester, filed a bill in the Superior Court asking that the board of managers of the Paul Jones Chapter be compelled to set aside a vote by which the three complainants were expelled.

They also allege that they were expelled illegally, as they were not notified of the meeting at which the action took place.

Chapter Got New Charter.

On October 9 of last year, after the expulsion took place, the members of the old Paul Jones chapter voted to give up their charter. The charter was returned to the headquarters at Washington and a new one, the "John Paul Jones," was given out.

The suits went right along, however, and on the first Monday in January the case was given a formal hearing, and then postponed for further action.

Since then the bitterness of those expelled and the determination of the members of the old chapter seemed likely to drag a lot of the private affairs of the organization into court. Therefore, Mrs. McLean is bending every effort to settle the matter privately.

The officers of the John Paul Jones Chapter, headed by Miss Marion Brazier, the regent, feel that in order to avoid the publicity of court proceedings, an honorable compromise should be made.

Mrs. Evelyn Fellows Masury, State regent, believes, like the president-general, that it will be best to hush the matter up as soon as possible. She suggests taking the three complainants back into the chapter, and then giving them cards of transfer to some other chapter. Miss Marion Brazier is also ready for a compromise that will not lower the standing and dignity of the members of the opposition.

Some Object to Settlement.

Nevertheless, there are a few indignant and belligerent members of the John Paul Jones Chapter who are ready to see the thing through, courts or no courts.

"Take those women back!" exclaimed a prominent member yesterday. "Well, I guess not! We disbanded the Paul Jones Chapter to get rid of them. There'll be resignations by the wholesale if these women are taken back and given full and honorable standing."

Despite this opposition there are many friends of the organization who are striving for peace. These say that Miss Brazier, the presiding officer, might have used better parliamentary tactics at the meeting when the trouble occurred. These peacemakers also declare that there was fault on both sides, and the peacemakers are bound to win, declares Mrs. McLean.

4-ALARM FIRE IN TIRRELL BLOCK ROUSES QUINCY

Building Is Threatened with Destruction by Blaze Early To-day.

At 1:30 this morning a four-alarm fire in Quincy threatened the destruction of the three-story Tirrell block on Hancock street. All the apparatus in Quincy was called out, and assistance was asked from Braintree and Weymouth. For a time it looked as if the fire would spread to adjoining buildings. Hundreds of residents of Quincy and the surrounding country, attracted by the blaze, watched the work of the firemen under Chief Amos Litchfield.

The fire started in the premises of the Norfolk Credit Company, on the ground floor of the Tirrell building.

The call for apparatus from adjoining towns was sent out, when it was feared that the whole business section of the city might be destroyed. The block is occupied by several of the largest stores in the city, and in the upper stories are a number of business offices.

Ida Fitch of Pittsburg May Tell to Jury Hidden Chapter in Life of Prisoner.

LAWYERS AGHAST AT LATEST DECLARATION

Defendent's Counsel Meet His Proposal to Testify With Vehement Protests.

LIFE BATTLE TO OPEN IN GRIM EARNEST AT MONDAY'S SESSION

NEW YORK, Feb 2.—Two sensational moves are impending in the trial of Harry Thaw on the charge of the premeditated murder of Stanford White. One is by Thaw himself and the other by District Attorney Jerome.

The prisoner has caused a division among his lawyers by declaring that he will take the witness stand in his own behalf and personally tell the jury why he killed the great architect.

District Attorney Jerome is expected to summon from Pittsburg Miss Ida Fitch, one of the prettiest girls in Pennsylvania, to prove that the prisoner tried to ensnare a fifteen-year-old child and was, when a boy, of no better character than he alleges White to have been.

The story which introduces Miss Fitch into the fierce white light which beats about the Thaw case is one of the most startling yet revealed as a circumstance of the trial. It involves allegations that the Pittsburg court record of the prisoner is mutilated.

Thaw's defiant statement that he would be a witness himself caused a commotion in the camp of his counsel and was discussed by his lawyers as of equal importance to the rumor that District Attorney Jerome is not content with all the jurors accepted. He may try on Monday to make further changes in the box. This course, if attempted, will be bitterly fought by the defence.

Lawyers Declare Thaw Will Keep Silence.

While several of Thaw's lawyers side with him in his determination to tell his story to the jury by his own lips and in his own way, the others declare that if insanity is to be his plea it would be the height of absurdity for him to attempt to testify to acts committed in an hour when he claims he did not know what he was doing. One of his lawyers declared to-night that under no circumstances would Thaw be a witness. But Thaw insists that he will, and is consistent to the end in giving his legal advisers trouble by his headstrong will.

But all the Thaw attorneys intimate that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will be a witness and under the guidance of Delphin M. Delmas will tell her entire pitiable story.

It was not believed by the prosecution that Thaw dared risk a pitiless, ruthless cross-examination, that he would dare the haphazard of being questioned as to the truth of the charges that he had so brutally assaulted Evelyn Nesbit in Europe before she became his wife that she fled to New York and again sought the protection of Stanford White.

The prosecution did not believe that Thaw would leave himself open to the introduction by the State of his personal record when he was one of the most conspicuous of the gilded youths who made the Tenderloin his playground.

It is now the general impression among the best informed that Thaw's counsel will "lift the lid" regarding the prisoner as well as White. In the case of White every effort will be made to introduce evidence to prove that the victim of the killing on Madison Square roof was the monster of moral iniquity which he has been painted.

In the case of Thaw the "lid" will be lifted to show that the man who is being tried for premeditated murder has been ever since boyhood the victim of bursts of such wild, ungovernable rage that he is often for the time being incapacitated from realizing what he is doing.

Mother, Wife, Sister to Tell of Thaw's Fury.

It is expected that Evelyn Thaw, his wife; Mrs. William Thaw, his mother, and the Countess of Yarmouth, his sister, will all testify to this effect, and that in the case of the former the claim will be made that he was mentally irresponsible when he attacked her, if the State undertakes to prove her the victim of his abuse.

The district attorney's office and the public is still in the dark as to the line of defence to be offered by Thaw, but it is believed in the former that it will be emotional insanity, and not justification under the "unwritten law." It was noted that during the examination of talesmen by District Attorney Jerome and Mr. Garvan, his first assistant, that towards the last the most important question related to the prospective juryman's views as to insanity as a legal defence for murder. The talesmen were probed by insistent questions to learn their understanding of what the law recognizes as the kind of homicidal mania excusing homicide.

Again and again Mr. Jerome asked the talesmen:

"Will you accept the court's decision upon the law in this case, remembering always that you are bound by the law of the State of New York and not by any so-called 'higher' or 'unwritten law'?"

Later he omitted such impressive reference to what it was understood at first would be the Thaw reliance for escape from the death chair. On the other hand, the defence avoided showing its hand while picking a jury by asking the talesmen if they had prejudice against a prisoner who would offer two distinct lines of defence.

Defence Campaign Carefully Hidden.

"We absolutely refuse to either disclose our line of defence or give any hints relating to it," said Attorney A. Russell Peabody, one of the Thaw lawyers.

"We are perfectly satisfied with the jury as it stands, and will certainly oppose any effort to change it.

"We are anxious for the trial to proceed without further delay. We will be ready to go ahead with it Monday morning.

"The presentation of the defence in behalf of Thaw will probably occupy about three weeks.

"We have about fifty witnesses in all. How many we shall call to the stand we cannot tell."

It is believed from the latter statement that the calling of a number of witnesses will depend largely upon the course taken by the State in defending Stan-

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"JURY WILL FREE ME," DECLARES HARRY THAW

Merciless Scrutiny of Talesmen's Records Preceded Selection of the 12 Men

"More Than Satisfactory to Me," Says Accused Man, "They Will Acquit Me."

MARRIED MEN COMPOSE PANEL ALL EXCEPT ONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 2—The life of Harry Kendall Thaw now rests in the hands of twelve men. They are the jury empanelled to try him upon the charge of premeditated murder for slaying Stanford White.

Never in the annals of murder trials was such an extraordinary duel fought between prosecution and defence to obtain jurors whom either side might classify as likely to be favorable to its interests. First a special panel of 200 citizens was called, but an examination of all these talesmen left the jury box unfilled. A second panel of 100 was exhausted without twelve good men and true being chosen, and but two names remained of the third when the last man was accepted.

What is still more extraordinary, five men were taken from the jury after they had been accepted by both sides and the court. In all there were seventeen jurymen picked. Nothing so strange as the discarding of so many jurors after they had been subjected to a gruelling cross-examination, and declared fit, is on record.

Result of Inquiry Into Records.

It was the result, it is presumed, of the extraordinary investigation into the records of men accepted after they had been seated in the box.

Both Thaw's lawyers and the District Attorney's office took a hand in the sleuthing, it is presumed. But it is also understood that the State was more vigilant than the defence in this business.

From the beginning it was announced in court that the jurors from the moment of acceptance were to be guarded as rigorously as if they were themselves prisoners resting under an accusation of crime. They were to be kept in rooms in the Broadway Central Hotel when not taking exercise or in court. They could not visit their families; they could not even talk with the outside world by telephone except by proxy. They had to absolutely give up business and domestic life until they had heard all evidence and argument and had returned a verdict.

336 Talesmen Examined.

No jury in the history of New York was ever surrounded with such surveillance. It required the examination, during the eight days, of 336 talesmen before twelve men were accepted as competent to decide whether Harry Thaw shall live or die.

Before the twelve were chosen, the defence had exhausted its right to peremptory challenge and the District Attorney had agreed, it is said, in order to eliminate [illegible] six jurors he had already approved of, that the Thaw lawyers might have the privilege of rejecting ten more [illegible].

And when the jury was at last complete, Harry Thaw, who constantly consulted his attorneys in the matter of examining talesmen, leaned back in his chair and breathed a sigh of relief. He smiled [illegible].

"Well, I'm glad that part of the business is over. The jury is more than satisfactory to me. I'm sure I shall have a fair trial and that I shall be acquitted. I feel sure that when I tell my story to this jury they will feel that I was justified in what I did."

Wanted Married Men Chosen.

Before the trial Thaw told his lawyers that he wanted upon the jury only married men.

"I want," he said, "my story heard by men who have wives of their own to protect. Only a married man can understand."

Eleven of the jury are married. The only bachelor upon it is satisfactory to Thaw because he is a Southerner. Thaw relies upon enlisting this juror's sympathy because the South is the land where the "unwritten law" is unquestioned and always in force.

The average age of the jurors is forty seven. The eldest is sixty-[illegible], the youngest is thirty four. [illegible] active business life, two have retired.

Already an attempt is being made to classify the jurors as to the natural trend of their sentiments in regard to Thaw. It is believed in the Tombs prison and about the court house that he believes that a number of the men selected to decide whether prison doors shall be opened to him or that he shall die in the electric chair are predisposed in his favor. It is assumed that he has forecasted the balloting for life or death by this division.

For Thaw, John S. Dennee, Charles H. Fecke, Henry C. Harney, Harry C. Brearley, Bernard Gerstman. Doubtful: Deming B. Smith, George Pfaff, Oscar A. Pink, Malcolm F. Fraser; Charles D. Newton, Wilbur F. Steele, Joseph H. Bolton.

It is supposed that this classification has been made by Thaw in response to alternating mental currents of hope and fear because of remarks attributed to him.

When Dennee was chosen Thaw said to Attorney Peabody:

"Give Us More Like Him."

"Give us a few more men like him and I will be justified and vindicated. Southern men know something of the duty one owes to his wife."

Fecke says he does not favor capital punishment and would have to be thoroughly convinced of a man's guilt before convicting him.

Daniel O'Reilly told why Harney pleased the prisoner and his counsel when he said:

"In accepting Harney we went on the assumption that a man who has voted to put a man to death on one occasion will never vote for the execution of the second man. That is why we wanted him on the jury."

But it is denied that Harney ever voted to condemn a man to death. He served on the jury which tried a man named Sass on the charge of murdering a woman, but the prisoner was acquitted.

Brearley's acceptance was greeted with marked approval on the part of Thaw. His views on the death penalty were cheering to both the prisoner and his attorneys.

But Thaw believes that each of the other seven are more likely to vote to free him than to condemn. Else they would not have been on the jury to-day. They would have been peremptorily challenged by the defence. What Thaw thinks about the peers who are to decide his fate is also the opinion of his beautiful young wife, Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw.

Wife Aided in Jury Choosing.

She played her part in the selection of the jury, although she had not one word to say in the matter. Although she did not speak yet she used her lips as well as her eyes. All through the long, tedious week when talesmen were being examined she expressed her views on each prospective juryman to her husband by a telegraphic code of smiles and frowns.

It is believed that she set the seal of approval upon Gerstman as the twelfth and last juror. At a glance from her when Gerstman's acceptance was pending Thaw lost his lassitude in an instant, and with face aglow whispered a few emphatic words into Attorney Peabody's ear.

"Evelyn is a shrewd judge of men—her estimate is worth considering," said Thaw of his wife not long ago. It was noticed by close observers in the courtroom that not a lawyer present scrutinized talesmen more critically than this wan faced little girl who is fighting beside his mother for her husband's life.

What the Thaw family think of the jury was expressed by Mrs. William Thaw, the prisoner's mother. She said:

"The jurors appear to be highly intelligent, unprejudiced and fair-minded. I am sure my son cannot fail to be pleased with them. They are as good as Harry himself could have picked. Mr. John S. Dennee is particularly pleasing to us. I am sure my son will be fairly treated."

12 Men Closely Scrutinized.

It is safe to say that no twelve men who were ever born were so scrutinized and studied as the members of the Thaw jury. There was nothing about their personality, dress, features, voice or manner left unnoticed. Their business pursuits and private lives were also weights used on the scales of selection.

Not only has Judge Fitzgerald, the prisoner, the Thaw family, the Thaw lawyers and the State's attorney studied the jurors from every possible view point, but they are to-day men who fill a large space on the public horizon. All the world is wondering who they are, what they are like and what their verdict will be.

The Rev. Madison C. Peters, one of the best known of living clergymen, went to the court room to study the personnel of the jury for the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. He says:

By Rev. Madison C. Peters

1. Deming B. Smith, the foreman, has reached the meridian of life. He is rather small in stature, with a somewhat haggard face, which proclaims he has known care in his time as well as experience that will be useful to him now in the arduous responsibility he has assumed. His nose is small and straight, and his forehead square; his sparse hair is parted by a straight shade and he has a cute little mustache, which gives a certain piquancy to the whole countenance.

2. George Pfaff is a type of strong rugged young man, who has been brought up in the school of life where experience was the principal teacher. He is dark-visaged and beardless, and has a good brow over which clusters black-brown tousled hair. He looks to be a man of justice who would certainly lean to the side of mercy, and I think the interests of Thaw are safe in his hands.

3. Charles H. Fecke is on the sunny side of forty. He has a good, square face and is intelligent looking, though the chin is rather weak. A black mustache covers a short upper lip and a straightline divides his hair. The forehead recedes, which gives him an older appearance than his years indicate. To me he seems to be a man of a vacillating temperament and one easily swayed.

4. Oscar A. Pink, substitute for David Strother Walker, is a man whose appearance belies his age, as he looks somewhat juvenile. He has small features, but he is a small man, and so the features and the size may be said to harmonise. He has a closely cut brown mustache and his hair is thin in front; in profile he presents the best features. He is neither a deep thinker nor a lucid reasoner, and I think could be easily led by a dominating mind.

5. Henry C. Harney is a man who has passed the heyday of life and looks as if he had shaken hands with sorrow in his time; the cares of the world seem to press heavily on his shoulders, and he wears an abstracted air, as if his thoughts were far away in the "land of long ago." He has a habit of sitting sideways to his confreres in the box and faces the audience with the index finger of his right hand resting on the lower labial. He has sparse hair parted in the middle, and a gray mustache. He wears glasses. Boredom is plainly written all over his countenance and he seems tired of the world as well as the Thaw case. I think he will give a quick verdict, whatever it may be.

6. Harry C. Brearley is a young looking, black-haired, bespectacled man with an absent look about him; his full lip is covered by a mustache the color of his hair. His face is elongated, and the contour of his head conical. He seems to not have very decided views about anything—he is not a strong character. I don't think his vote will be influenced by argument.

Fraser Has Strong Face.

7. Malcolm F. Fraser has a strong, round, reposeful face, somewhat resembling a full moon; it has a ruddy glow betokening good health; his hair is dark, sleeked and parted at the side and in color varies from his mustache, which is brown. He is a forceful personality of a dominant type and may be relied upon to go in accordance with the dictates of his own judgment.

8. Charles D. Newton looks like a half-pay English officer, with his sweeping imperial mustache and his florid face, which looks like past service under tropical suns, yet he is just a plain American citizen, willing to do his duty by his country, and I believe he will do it well, as he takes a great interest in every detail of the proceedings. He is bald and gray, but alert and keen. He is constantly chewing something, probably gum. Newton undoubtedly seems to be a well balanced man and one who will render a just verdict in keeping with the testimony advanced.

Steele Looks Self Opinionated.

9. Wilbur F. Steele, who supplanted Louis Haas, is a big, heavy, middle-aged man with a close-cropped gray mustache, and his brown, sunken eyes are in a square face. He looks a thoroughly reliable yet self opinionated man, one who would be difficult to wean from a preconceived determination.

10. John S. Dennee somehow has taken the fancy of Harry Thaw. He is debonair, self confident and a thorough man of the world. In appearance he has sharp, narrow, clean shaven features, and sits with hands locked, the right index finger touching his lips. He is keen and sharp and looks as if he would be a good man in a tight place. Certainly he will be influenced by nothing or nobody save himself.

11. James B. Bolton looks as if he could be superintendent of a Sunday school. He is cold, calculating and deliberate, and I am surprised the defence did not challenge him.

Gerstman, the youngest of the jurymen, was not accepted when this analysis was made, but Attorney Peabody said:

"Thaw particularly liked him and particularly dictated his acceptance."

Gerstman is black-haired, smooth-shaven, well-dressed and deliberate in manner. In dignity, intelligence and appreciation of the importance of his duty, he compares favorably with other men comprising the jury. In his careful weighing of words and the nice distinctions drawn by him in defining his mental attitude, he evinced the analytical temperament of the intelligent man of German birth or ancestry.

TRIAL TO COST $325,000

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Taken in its entirety the Thaw trial will cost in the neighborhood of $325,000. This may be divided approximately as follows:

Lawyers	$200,000
Out-of-town detectives	50,000
Local detectives	25,000
Preparation of case, etc.	50,000
Total	$325,000

Thaw fortune, $40,000,000.

Of course this amounts to only a fraction of the annual income of the Thaw family, but it is enough to fill the mind with wonder.

The Carlyle Harris case cost the State about $125,000; the Dr. Buchanan case a similar amount. The two trials of Dr. Kennedy cost about $75,000. It cost the State about $150,000 to find out that Roland Molineux did not kill Mrs. Adams.

Character Studies of Beautiful Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, Made In court room For Boston Sunday American By famous Artist, Archie Gunn.

JULIAN HAWTHORNE STAMPS TREATMENT OF AMERICAN JURORS AS "BARBAROUS"

New York, Feb. 2—Julian Hawthorne, novelist and essayist, thinks that the treatment of American jurors is barbarous. This keen analyst of human emotions does not believe that they should be kept under surveillance as close as if they themselves were under accusation. He believes that men fit to be trusted with casting the die which means life or death for another human being should be worthy of the confidence which their duty implies.

By Julian Hawthorne

Nearly every feature of our treatment of juries in this country is barbaric, and is incompatible with the dignity and self respect of the citizen or the spirit of our institutions.

If men composing a jury are morally so rotten, or mentally so feeble, as to be impotent to resist, despite their oath, influences brought to bear upon them from the outside, by what reasoning can they be shown to be fit to sit in the jury box at all, and pass upon the life of a fellow being or upon any other matter involving social security?

However, our methods being what they are, it was only to be expected that the District Attorney should show the measure of his respect for the men in the box by impressing upon the judge the necessity of protecting their moral integrity against—what?

What else but the seductions of the Thaw millions?

If these men were to be permitted to talk with any persons not officers of the court, or to traverse the streets unguarded, or to read any newspaper or book—even the Holy Bible—they would be open to the contagion of bribery, and would presumably succumb!

Of such quality are twelve men selected for their shining merits out of a panel of several hundreds of their fellow citizens!

How complimentary to the fruits of our republican institutions!

But why stop at the jurymen? Are not the lawyers for the prosecution also men and American citizens, and is it not more important to corrupt them than the jurors even?

Imagine a district attorney being guard on his way home less some agent of a wealthy malefactor force a bribe into his hand!

SELFISH FIGURE OF YOUNG NESBIT IN DARK CONTRAST WITH SISTER'S CONSTANCY

By Clara Morris.

There are few things in this world more distressing than the sight of a family divided against itself; there are few enmities more bitter than those existing between near relatives and there is no lower form of bad breeding than the public flaunting of family differences, such as seems to joy the heart of that young poseur, Howard Nesbit—who having profited by the lavish generosity of the wealthy married, but ever platonic guardian of his too pretty little sister, with utter selfishness opposed her marriage to a man of position and of means; opposed because he knew that Mr. Thaw meant to marry Evelyn only and not the entire family.

And now that sorrow and trouble almost beyond her strength to bear have come upon her, instead of forgetting or at least putting aside all past differences; instead of saying, "I am the sole male member of our family—it is for me to stand up loyally for my sister's interests, and if I cannot serve her I will at least show her the deference, the reverential courtesy due from an only brother to a stricken sister." Instead of that he ostentatiously denies to young Mrs. Thaw—oh, petty, petty youth!—even the bow of recognition gentle people bestow upon the most inconsequent of acquaintances.

"Mere Boys More Masculine."

Then hear him publicly criticising that sister for her "bad taste" in bringing her tried girl friend with her into court, and growing as fierce as new milk over the bounty bestowed by her upon Miss McKenzie; these remarks coming with rare grace and fine consistency from the lips of the youth who lived contentedly upon the largesse of his sister's "friend."

Why, there are in this city to-day widow's sons of nine brief years of life who are more masculine in purpose and action, have more "sand" in their make-up and character than has this young poseur, who caddishly tries to injure the sister who is winning the pitying regard of most of the world just now. But "expediency" is the family motto and Howard Nesbit is likely ever to be found on the side of the family purse-bearer—who is to-day "My dear father, Mr. Holman."

Much is being said about the loss of Mrs. Thaw's beauty; that it is a thing of the past; that it has faded and vanished. I for one cannot agree with that cruel verdict. Her beauty was never of the athletic, statuesque or arrogant type, but delicate, girlish, illusive, flower-like, depending much upon mood and environment.

Just as the irridescence of the pigeon's soft throat and breast in dark shadow shows but a dull and coppery tone, while in the livening sunlight the changeful bronzy gold and green and purply blues make a shimmering glory there.

Still Thaw's "Jolly Little Girl."

How often do the living words of a dead poet explain us to ourselves, for see now English Alfred's drawing of Evelyn Thaw:

"——Whose pensive beauty, perfect else,
But subject to the season or the mood,
—bounteously made,
And yet so finely that a troublous touch
Thinn'd or would seem to thin her in a day,
As joyous to dilate, as toward the light."

With seer-like eyes he looked into the future, saw and truly drew the variable fairness of the then unborn Evelyn, whose pensive beauty, perfect else, but subject at this present moment to the season of sorrow and to the mood of fear.

For she is wonderfully adaptable; the shadow of the Tombs has overspread her for long months and she had fitted herself to all the hard and humiliating rules, smiling brightly and blithely all the time, holding herself firmly in the character of "Jolly little girl" that her Harry loves her in, keeping with the uncanny strength of a weak, small woman, the impulsive vow, "I'll stand by you, Harry!"

Girlish Beauty Sure to Remain.

Perhaps she is whispering to herself, "Who breaks, pays," and adds, with heavy resignation, "Well, we have broken—so must we pay."

And so long as it is "We," she is going to bear all there is to bear.

And so hear my prophecy:

So soon as the rose of happiness is again set in the cheek of Evelyn Thaw, its glow upon her lips, her beauty will be the artist's joy it ever was.

Give her fifty hours of perfect insouciance, without responsibility of any kind; give her back her familiar and becoming back-ground, the dim richness of precious rugs, the glint of curious arms, the darks of iron worked to lacey lightness, the dull glow of pottery, the brilliant glaze of imperial porcelains, all blending harmoniously in an indefinite dusky richness; loosen her dark hair to that cloudiness through which her variable beauty glimmers like a star, wrap her about with the lustrous flower-sewn soft silks of the Orient, confine solely to a finger the sharp glitter of diamonds, but wind about her tender throat many pearls of milky lustre; set in her hair or at her breast the veiled fire of opals; place a rose in her hand, sceptre-like and Evelyn Thaw's beauty will be as the beauty of Evelyn Nesbit. Wait and see!

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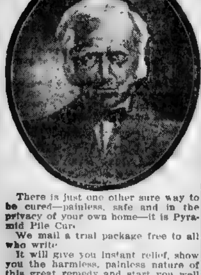

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Trade Mark

MONDAY.

Solid Gold Rope Neck Chains, in the popular rope pattern, 16 inches long, including solid gold clasp, whole thing retails elsewhere for $5, for one day, complete .... 2.49 Remember solid gold.

Silver Cake and Roll Trays, best quadruple plate, in the popular Poppy design, French gray finish. Reduced from $3.50 to.... 1.59 Warranted to wear.

Royal Japanese China Vases, in all the latest shapes and designs, imported to sell for $2.50 and $3.00, your choice, reduced to 89c

Cut Glass Oil and Vinegar Bottles, in the new star cutting, imported to sell for $2.00 retail, reduced for one day to........ 79c

TUESDAY.

Silver Table and Dessert Spoons, also Dinner and Dessert Forks to match, Rogers' best A1 plate, in different patterns, reduced from $4.00 per dozen to, per set of six........ 99c

Cut Glass Horse Radish Jar, in the Colonial pattern, imported to sell for 75c, reduced to 23c

TUESDAY (Continued)

Imported German Beer Steins, with cover and inscription, richly decorated in the popular brown color, reduced from $1.00 to....... 29c Or 6 for $1.50. Come early.

Sterling Silver Bangle Bracelet, chased design, extra heavy, in gray and bright finish, made to sell for $2.50 and $3.00, for one day. 99c

WEDNESDAY.

Combination Pocket Book, in black seal and brown walrus, leather lined, reduced from $2.00 to 98c

Gun Metal Muff Chains, plain and fancy links, with extension bar to hold any size muff, imported to sell for $2.50 and $3.00, for one day........ 79c

German China Pudding Set, consisting of three pieces, all handsomely decorated, reduced from $2 to.. 79c

Cut Glass Bud Vase, in the popular Prism cutting, good clear glass, reduced from $1.00 to 35c

THURSDAY.

Cut Glass Water Carafe, in the popular Pinwheel cutting, and in the Squat shape, reduced from $4.00 to 2.19

Sterling Silver Moustache Comb, fine celluloid comb, in sterling silver case, made to carry in vest pocket, two sizes, reduced from $1.00 and $1.50 to...... [illegible]

German China Griddle Cake Dishes, also large Toast Dishes, very prettily decorated, reduced from $2.50 to........ 79c

THURSDAY (Con.).

Empire Comb, the latest styles, made extra high, some with olive shape knobs, reduced from 75c and $1 to 39c

FRIDAY.

Beaded Opera Bags, with blue and gold beads, all silk lined, with silk cord, imported to sell for $2.00, reduced for one day to........ 59c

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Bohemian Glass Nut and Olive Dishes, heavy gold decoration, on foot, reduced from $1.50 to........ 39c

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THAW GOADED TO KILL ARCHITECT?

"Stanford White Held Stained Mirror of the Past Ever Before Eyes of His Millionaire Slayer"

Alfred Henry Lewis Outlines Defence in Great Murder Trial.

STACKS OF EVIDENCE TO SHOW MENTAL UNBALANCE

Thaw's Mother and the Countess of Yarmouth.

Sketched in Court by Scheide.

Host of Witnesses Will Describe Thaw's Mental-Moral Uncontrol

THE defence will be insanity. It could be nothing else. Thaw's mother will relate his defective story from an earliest day. There will come a cloud of witnesses from Pittsburg to tell of the heady bias of Thaw; of his unbalanced weakness and mental-moral uncontrol.

—*Alfred Henry Lewis.*

Alfred Henry Lewis.

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Alfred Henry Lewis

I ENCOUNTERED a gentleman with a grievance. Commonly a gentleman with a grievance is no other than a Greek and a gift, and experience has taught me to distrust him. In this instance, however, any man was honest enough, albeit somewhat misled of his vanity. Like Kipling's gorilla, there was too much ego in his cosmos, and he carried himself too liberally upon the back of his own regard.

You will understand what I mean when I tell you that my gentleman grieving is of our Smart Set. That is to say he is wholly idle, worth a million and has been sued for both breach of promise and divorce. His grievance related to the Thaw case and the manner in which the newspapers handle the same. This last he decla[illegible] "was atrocious."

"The papers do not give pages of space," said he bitterly, "to the trial of Bill Robinson for killing Brown. Why, then, should they do so when the parties are Thaw and Stanford White?"

No Interest in Scandals of the Poor

"White was not only rich," I replied, "but an eminent member of your own Smart Set. The Thaws, likewise, enroll themselves auriferously among our millionaires."

As to newspaper silence concerning Brown and Robinson, I referred my indignant one to the wise Mr. Dooley.

"No one," said that philosopher, "is interested in the short but simple scandals of the poor."

Having gone thus far I went a rebuking step beyond and reminded my peevish Smart Setter that he and his silken fellows spend their lives invoking advertisement and setting traps to capture ink. Do they sail for Europe, they had out a saphead "interview," all twaddle and slush, on the dock's head. When they return, they hand out another, equally twaddlesome and slushy.

"You do these ill-bred things," said I, severely, "from cradle to grave. The system lacks in essential wisdom. You do them until finally your very names become news; and after that, should one of you be seen drunk and disorderly on Broadway, it compels a column. Once you attract popular attention, the local Froissarts—who are but the enslaved purveyors to a public taste—will be driven to give double the space to your defeats that they do to your victories."

Court as Quiet as a Church

The court room has grown as quiet as a church. Everywhere you get the feeling of strain as though a bow was bended. That is because we are approaching more closely to the throbbing heart of this red business. During that question-chasing after talesmen interest of the onlooker variety became vastly unbuckled. The play was not absorbing; with it went no thrill. The proceedings were so obviously preliminary, like the prologue to a drama or the bicker over timekeepers and referee when boxers are bought to the ringside, that the audience—just as epicures might save an appetite—looked on the other way. They would reserve the freshness of their attention for more stirring hours when the actual battle was on. Having arrived at the threshold of those hours of expected stir and thrill, present interest, having breathed upon and rubbed its glasses, begins to crane absorbed neck.

FACTS ABOUT THAW JURY

FOREMAN, Deming B. Smith.

Married men, 11; Unmarried, 1.

Average age of jurors, forty-seven.

Of English extraction, 8; German, 3; Scotch, 1.

In business life, 10; retired, 2.

Oldest member, C. D. Newton, sixty-five.

Youngest member, George Pfaff, thirty-four.

The unmarried member is John S. Dennee.

Speaking of that recent hunting of talesmen, a question which counsel for Thaw were fond of asking was whether or no the talesman under fire had ever had relations, professional or social, with either De Lancey Nicoll or Abe Hummel. I confess that this persistent inquisitiveness on the part of the Thaw people concerning Mr. Nicholl and Mr. Hummel served somewhat to shock me. I had conceived a wide difference to exist between these gentlemen in point of feather; one being of a reputable whiteness, while the other—and grant him every doubt—appeared of pinion somewhat dingy. I asked counsel for Thaw what should underlie this Nicoll-Hummel curiosity. He shrugged his shoulders diplomatically. In the end he explained that it meant nothing save that Nicoll and Hummel had once been attorneys for Stanford White. This explanation, I submit, did not explain. Verily, a Congo crouches in the woodpile of those Nicoll-Hummel queries!

Against Opening Speeches

More than once, as a writer, I have been drawn to mention critics, and never once with approbation. Since this Thaw trial began I find myself becoming critical; I see that, like Elijah the Tishbite, I'm no better than my fathers.

To be sure, it is something in my candid favor that I confess this blemish. Also I am somewhat wonder-bitten at my open confession, since indubitably it must be born of conscience. Heretofore my conscience has known better than to turn its ugly horns my way; it has been more ready to attack the neighbors. Yes, forsooth! I now plead guilty to as critical a bent as was ever possessed by Henry James. Saying which, I shall proceed to reoffend.

Concerning the error, as I see it, of burning the bridges of communication between a murder jury and mankind, I've already been full and free in saying what I think and why I think it. I desire now to register my protesting amazement at a plan of trial which includes, before evidence is introduced, a haranguing of the jury by counsel for either side. What end of justice is to be served by these harangues?—none the less harangues for being called "statements of the case." I should think it was precisely the thing that all this double guarding and sullen isolation of the jury were intended to avoid. Whether by accident or some subsequent failure of a witness, counsel are bound to promise many things they afterward fail to prove. Who shall say that these fact statements, not supported by later evidence, go without effect? Besides, no jury needs more than the indictment to show what crime the defendant stands charged with. And is not a defendant's full position set forth in a plea of not guilty? After what superlative efforts the law puts forth to keep a jury unspotted of the world, to thus turn upon it the unmuzzled deluge of counsel's preliminary "statements," is nothing less than a stultification.

As nearly as one may gather from a hint here and a word there, the State with its evidence will not consume much time at the outset. It will show briefly the story of that roof garden night—how a poor company of stage players were draging a poor performance to a poor conclusion; how Stanford White was there; how the jealous-mad Thaw shot him down.

White in Field of Art

Per incident, it will appear that Stanford White's father was Richard Grant White, editor aforetime of the Courier-Enquirer, and the author of books which had this in common with the books of the Sybils, that they were deeply reverenced and never read.

It will be likewise shown that Stanford White was a fashionable architect. At this crisis one should bear in mind that an architect may be fashionable without being great.

Smart Setters are ignorant of art and letters. Being ashamed of a dullness that serves but to wet the feathers of their tail-spreading vanity, our Smart Setters are eager to pretend otherwise. To do this they have an official wit, an official author, an official orator, an official artist and an official architect. They know no more of wit or literature, or eloquence, or pictures, or building than of local politics in Timbuctoo. They think they hide this vanity, however, by loudly chattering of the sayings and doings of their official wit or author, or artist, or orator, or architect, whenever such chatter seems put to the purpose. For this reason, and in this way was Stanford White made a fashionable architect; and, since it brought him much money, he should not well pick condemnatory holes in the adjective.

For myself, I've seen no great nor original work that he has done. He was the designer of the Washington Arch, which is but a copy of other countless scores of futile, monstrous similar piles of stone and mortar to be met with the world round. He designed the base of St. Gaudens's statue of Farragut, the effect of which is to make the eminent mariner look extremely like a barnyard cockerel, exalted by the sudden high advantage of a fence, and about to crow. I feel, concerning that Farragut statue and base, prodigiously as I long ago felt about Mr. Tucker, who flourished in New Mexico as Sheriff for the County of Grant. I couldn't tell just what per cent. was sheriff and what per cent. was six-shooter in the doughty case of Tucker, but the combinations crowded hard upon the hocks of the awful. Thus it is with Farragut's statue—I'm unable to determine exactly what per cent. is base and what per cent. is statue, but the combination is awful.

White was the architectural contriver of Madison Square Garden. This last well-advertised structure will receive a deal of mention by witnesses for both prosecution and defence. It was not only the theatre of White's taking off; but beyond that, according to the defence, he had an evil room in the tall tower, high above the world's ears and eyes, wherein he had orgies compared to which the eighteenth century-Medmanham Abbey revels of Grafton, Dashwood, Wilkes and March with their Hell Fire Clubs, were as the singing of the Doxology by a Rockefeller Bible class. The defence will bend every effort to reopen this tower room, and reproduce a word picture of its vicious horrors.

What the Defence Aims At

It requires no prescience to foresee the Thaw defence. It will be insanity, and could be nothing else. His mother will relate his defective story from an earliest day. There will come a cloud of witnesses from Pittsburg—Pittsburg, the smoke and soot of which would seem to have been ingrained in the morals of that host of millionaires it has spewed upon the earth—to tell of the heady bias of Thaw; of his unbalanced weakness and mental-moral uncontrol.

The defence, by its testimony, will introduce Evelyn Thaw—when she was Evelyn Nesbit—to White, and to that vice-sink, the tower room. It will strive to show how, after Thaw and she were wed White made her the constant taunting topic of his conversation. It will prove that White continually held the stained mirror of the past before the eyes of Thaw. In nowise and for no moment would he let Thaw forget that past—a past made up of White and Evelyn Nesbit, and that tower room of sin.

The defence will go further and seek to demonstrate that White was threatening to take Thaw's wife from him. With Thaw turned out of her life, her future was to be as had been her past, wanting no debasing element of White or tower room.

And thereupon the half-crazed Thaw became completely crazed. The last red chapter was written. Adrift on mad and jealous currents, victim in even parts of hate and fear, and made so by White's cool plotting, Thaw swept onward and downward. Then came the roof-garden shot, and White's life-lamp was puffed out. And so by that act were sundry matters determined. Whatever may stand waiting in the ante-chamber of time, the future will be virtuously empty of White and his tower room. Nor will Evelyn Thaw return to be Evelyn Nesbit, and abandon Thaw. Thaw, who for love of her is fighting for his life.

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50c **Shell Combs**, fancy tops **12¢**

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25c **Bead Chains** .... **5¢**

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10c **Lace Pins**, "Indestructible," 12 on card .... **2¢**

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700 large [illegible] Green Felt **School Bags**, [illegible] 50c quality .. **29¢**

300 medium size Green **Felt School Bags**, value 39c .... **17¢**

85c Leather **Wrist Bags**, value $1.00 .... **35¢**

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1000 regular 50c Wellesley **Leather Belts** .... **25¢**

200 Novelties in High Grade **Leather Belts**, value $1.00 and $1.50 .. **49¢**

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Fine Silk and Wool Bands, value 50c .... **21¢**

Children's **Rompers**, made in best possible manner strong quality chambray, value 50c .... **29¢**

Children's **Short Bedford Cord Coat**, trimmed with braid, value $1.50 .... **75¢**

Children's **Wool Sweaters**, in white, size up 10 years, value $1.98, **39¢**

MILLINERY

Trimmed Fur Turbans, mink, black lynx, squirrel, marked down to **3.00 5.00 7.50 9.00**

50c **Wings**, in black, white, navy, brown .... **25¢**

25c **Jac. Roses** with bud and leaves, to .... **15¢**

TOILET GOODS

89c and 98c **Hot Water Bottles**, **30¢**

98c **Fountain Syringes** .... **29¢**

Soaps One-Half Price

10c Large Cakes **Buttermilk and Oatmeal Soap** .... **2 for 5¢**

15c **Glycerine, Cucumber and Buttermilk**, 3 cakes in box . **7¢**

10c Large Cake **Flotilla**, Piney Tar, **2 for 5¢**

29c Large Bar White and Green **Castile Soap**, 3 pounds .... **15¢**

LADIES' SUITS

Tremendous Markdown.

The balance of our **Suits** will go this week for a small fraction of their cost. If we have your size, you will get practically a gift; 14 suits only of black. They were $6.98. Anniversary Sale **2.50**

LADIES' SWEATERS 98c

Ladies' all-wool **Sweaters**, white and cardinal, V neck, regular $1.98 quality. Anniversary Sale .... **98¢**

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Kimonos and Dressing Sacques

Kimonos and Dressing Sacques of pretty floral design, on swansdown flannelette, they were extra value at 59c. Anniversary Sale .... **29¢**

GLOVES

Women's 8-butt. **Mousq. Kid Gloves**, tan, gray and black. Value $1.59 .... **59¢**

Woman's 3-clasp **Kid Gloves**. Value 98c .... **59¢**

Women's 1-clasp Prime **Lamb. Gloves**. Value $1.00 . **69¢**

Men's Fine **Kid Gloves**. Value $1.15 .... **69¢**

Kayser Silk-Lined Cashmere Gloves, in white, mode and gray. Regular price $1.00 **25¢**

Long Gloves—

12-button length Black Lisle Gloves, **29¢**

16-button Silk Finished Black Lisle Gloves, Mousq. .... **49¢**

SHOE DEPT.

Ladies' $3.00 **Gun Metal Calf Lace Boots**, sizes broken. Come early **1.95**

Ladies' $1.00 and $1.25 **Crocheted Slippers**, most all sizes and colors. **69¢**

Ladies' $2.00 and $2.50 **Patent Leather Slippers**, only a few in the lot **1.29**

early **1.95**

Ladies' 75c **Overgaiters**, never before or again at .... **39¢**

Misses' $2.00 **Velour Calf Button**, never before sold at . **1.45**

Infants' 50c and 75c **Soft Sole Button and Lace Shoes.** Hardly one-half the cost to make. Only **19¢**

DRESS LINING

This price speaks louder than words.

36-inch **Lining Satin**, a quality sold elsewhere at $1.00, for this special sale, yard half price .... **49¢**

None to Dealers.

HOSIERY

Children's Genuine 25c **Buster Brown School Hose** ... **12½¢**

Women's Fast Black **Cotton Hose**, Value 10c .... **7¢**

Women's Full Fashioned **Hose**, unbleached soles, sizes 8½ and 9 .. **15¢**

Women's Burson Fashioned **Hose**, fleeced lined, Value 25c .... **12½¢**

Women's Full Fashioned Hose—Fast black, double heels, soles and toes. Best 25c quality, slightly imperfect .... **12½¢**

$4.98 SILK WAISTS $1.98

Incredible but True

Silk Waists that were $4.98, handsome plaids and Roman stripes, in beautiful color combinations, net waists over silk, and odd lots of taffeta, all new, fresh goods. Anniversary Sale choice **1.98**

LADIES' COATS

Tourist Coats, black and mixtures, worth $5. Anniversary Sale **2.49**

KNIT UNDERWEAR

Women's **Bleached White Vests**, high neck, medium weight, sleeves, value 25c .... **12½¢**

Lace Trimmed Pants, value 25c, **14¢**

Women's Wool Mixed Union Suits, value $1.00 . **49¢**

Children's E. Z. Waists, seconds of this popular waist for boys and girls, all sizes **12½¢**

UPHOLSTERY

Chances that come only once or twice in a score of years.

Only 500 pair **Muslin Curtains** like cut, renaissance edge or insertion, made from very fine muslin, for this sale just half-price . **50¢**

Only 500 pair **Muslin Curtains**, striped muslin, value 39c, sale .... **25¢**

Only 500 pair **Ruffled Bobbinets**, regular value ranging from $1.25 to $2.00 pair, choice at, pair **75¢**

Only 340 pairs of **Savoy Bobbinets**, different patterns, some of these curtains are worth $3.50 pair, none are worth less than $2.00, choice of this lot, at, pair .. **1.50**

Only 500 pair full size **Sash Curtains**, nicely made, 20c value, pr **9¢**

RIBBONS

Ribbon Remnants, odds and ends of everything, black, white, colors and fancies, in all kinds of ribbons, lots of wide widths, worth 25c yd, some worth more. Anniversary Sale, yd **10¢**

KNIT CORSET COVERS

Knit Corset Covers, perfect fitting, silk and cotton, mixed, hand crochet front and neck [illegible] weight, value 50c .... **19¢**

Bleached Vests, high neck, long sleeves, regular price [illegible] **12½¢**

Children's Wool Shirts, regular price 49c and 59c, small sizes .... **19¢**

Women's Bleached **Union Suits**, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, medium weight, value 59c .... **25¢**

Children's **E. Z. Waists**, seconds of regular 25c quality .... **12½¢**

JEWELRY AND COMBS

25c Hat Pins, choice assortment. **5¢**

50c Black Bead Neck Chains .... **15¢**

30c Garnet Bead Neck Chains .... **15¢**

19c Shell Hair Pins, dozen .... **8¢**

THRONG CHEERS FAREWELL TO BIG LINER.

Stirring Scenes Greet Voyagers as Republic Sails Over Mist-Hung Bay.

WHITE STAR BOAT TAKES WINTER'S RECORD LIST

With 350 saloon passengers waving bouquets until the big ocean steamship looked like a floating conservatory, and with hundreds of friends cheering and shouting farewells from the pier, the White Star liner Republic yesterday sailed down the mist-hung bay amid one of the most stirring send-offs ever seen here, and carrying the largest list of passengers that ever sailed from this port in the winter months for the Azores and Mediterranean ports, including many prominent Boston society people.

A rousing ovation was given the millionaire shoe manufacturer, George [illegible] Keith of Brockton. About 100 [illegible] from Mr. [illegible] to wish the [illegible].

Another noted passenger was Miss [illegible] Leveroni, the young North End [illegible] at the Carlos [illegible] brilliant Boston girl has been back home but a few months, having been re-engaged by cable to sing the leading roles in "Carmen," "La Forza del Destino and other operas.

Among the other Bostonians in the saloon list were Rev. J. J. and Miss Gertrude O'Brien, son and daughter of former Mayor Hugh O'Brien; Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Hastings and their two sons, Mrs. Rose Roy[illegible] her daughters and party, and Mrs. Julia Fletcher and family. Birger G. A. [illegible]wist, the Swedish consul here, was also a passenger. Dr. H. W. [illegible] led a party of [illegible] tourists bound for Alexandria and the Nile, who will later tour the [illegible].

A score of girl friends had accompanied the Misses Ethel Vars and Lillian Moller from New Haven, and as the steamer cast off and drifted down the harbor the songs and shouts of bon voyage carried far over the water, all waving flags and kerchiefs until their friends were no longer visible.

In contrast to the light hearts among the throng in the saloon and on the upper decks were the feelings of ten immigrants deported.

CLERKS TO DANCE TO AID STORE BENEFIT FUND.

Dodge-Spear Employes Make Merry Monday Night In Howe Hall—Pretty Maids Work To Make Affair Great Success

Hundreds of tickets are being sold for the big dance which tomorrow night will be held in Howe Hall. [illegible] to aid the fund of the Dodge-Spear Company's Mutual Aid and Benefit Association. Everything is [illegible] by the [illegible] of the [illegible] friends to make the [illegible] ball of the [illegible] the greatest success [illegible] to make the [illegible] large enough to leave a [illegible] amount, after expenses are paid, to aid the treasury of the [illegible] ployes [illegible] to the association are [illegible] where [illegible] sickness [illegible].

A.T. OTIS

Many of Boston's best known business men have purchased tickets and signified their intention of being present. Mayor Fitzgerald is among the list of invited guests. Preparations have been most thorough, and the officers of the association who have the affair in charge feel highly elated over the prospects of [illegible] which their efforts will [illegible].

JOSEPH BROWN

The hall committee comprises Miss [illegible] Turner, A. [illegible] Otis and H. A. [illegible]. They have [illegible] for an [illegible] concert [illegible] which will open the [illegible], lasting from 8 o'clock until [illegible] will come dancing, starting [illegible] to which the greater number will [illegible]. Pretty decorations have [illegible] the hall in the way of flowers, greens and bunting.

The officers of the Dodge-Spear [illegible] Aid and Benefit [illegible]

R.V. ROYLE

and vice president, Miss Dash Sad[illegible], recording secretary, R. V. Doyle; financial secretary, Miss Mary Mahoney; treasurer, E. H. Richards.

The above named with Miss Anna Conley, Mrs. K. E. Driscoll and George Sawyer constitute the board of directors.

Pretty girls will be at the dance in large numbers, all anxious to aid the association, which has to depend upon such entertainments as this to furnish the treasury with receipts to meet large expenses.

E.M. RICHARDS

SHOUTING "BON VOYAGE" AS REPUBLIC SAILED; SOME ON BOARD

WAIVING FAREWELL

ETHEL VARS LILLIAN MOLLER

MISS GERTRUDE O'BRIEN . REV. JAS. J. O'BRIEN

Photographed Yesterday by Boston Sunday American Staff Photographer

CUTTERS' STRIKE HAS COST $50,000

Two hundred striking cutters of the Thomas G. Plant Shoe Company last night officially stated at Friendship Hall, Columbus avenue, that despite the alleged promises of the company, they would not go back to work until the head of the firm recognized them as union men.

The strikers also announced they had positive information that the company was putting out but 2,500 pairs of shoes a day, while the normal output, with all cutters working, is 10,000. They announced that on this basis the Plant Company had lost $50,000 since the strike began.

The Plant company issued a statement in the afternoon that they would take back all men laid off if the latter would leave their names at the office. The statement said the striking cutters' benches were rapidly being filled and that soon there would be no room for new employes.

FEARS ABSENT SON KEPT FROM HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hall, 120 Maverick street, Chelsea, are mystified over the disappearance of their fifteen year-old son, George A. Hall, who left his home Friday morning to go to the Bellingham Grammar School, where he is in the graduating class, but failed to reach there.

The disappearance has been reported to the police. The boy is a quiet chap and was devoted to his parents. He had no trouble at home or school, and his mother fears that he has met with foul play or is being detained from home against his wishes.

When he left home he wore short trousers, a dark coat, black shoes and stockings and a cap.

THAW TO TAKE STAND IN OWN DEFENCE AND BARE HIDDEN LIFE SECRETS

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ford White's character. It is rumored that Thaw has some astounding evidence to relate himself to show why he was goaded into taking the law into his own hands and that he will not only be corroborated by his beautiful wife, but by [illegible] witnesses.

Attorney Peabody's statement indicates that the trial will be weeks in duration. The State will not consume much time at the opening, as there is no dispute as to the killing of White by Thaw. That act the defence admits. The bulk of the time used by the District Attorney will be in offering rebuttal evidence. It is surmised that if the defence occupies three weeks the State will take up at least as much time, and that the trial will continue for at least six weeks and may last two months.

When his lawyer told Thaw how long the trial is likely to last the prisoner made a wry face and said:

"It's a long time to keep a man from freedom."

Thaw Confident of Coming Freedom.

Thaw's confidence in his acquittal is supreme. It has been growing every hour since the jury box was filled. It is believed that the examination of talesmen showed how strong is the public impression that Thaw was justified in killing White.

When the proceedings begin on Monday, if no further attempt is made by District Attorney Jerome to take any of the twelve out of the box and call for another panel of talesmen to replace them, Assistant District Attorney Garvan will make the opening address for the prosecution, and he has promised to be brief. Then the District Attorney will put on the stand witnesses who will tell how Thaw one night in June last interrupted the closing act of a light musical comedy on Madison Square Garden roof by shooting down Stanford White.

They will be eye-witnesses of the tragedy. What more the prosecution will offer to prove premeditation can only be guessed at. But it will probably be [illegible] by Mr. Garvan. It is known, however, that there are a host of witnesses at the call of the District Attorney [illegible] in rebuttal of any attack upon [illegible] of White. [illegible] For months [illegible] kinds of writers. The defence [illegible] well in the same line of work.

The real battle for Thaw's life will begin when the defence is heard. That will be the period of sensational testimony.

It will be the time when Evelyn Nesbit Thaw will take the stand and tell all that rules of evidence permit about her acquaintance with Stanford White and what she suffered at his hands.

Thaw himself may tell why he took White's life, the persecution of his young and beautiful wife, which goaded him into becoming the chief figure in one of the most shocking deeds of the century.

To Bare Orgies to the World.

Many witnesses, it is expected, will be called by the defence in the hope of convincing the jury that all which has been told or hinted at in regard to White's orgies is true.

Not only will Mrs. Evelyn Thaw's brother [illegible] testify against her [illegible] Howard says [illegible] ready to help send Thaw to [illegible] chair.

To Reveal Family Skeleton.

If the defence is emotional insanity, Mrs. William Thaw, the prisoner's mother, may be called upon to make a supreme sacrifice. She may be asked to go upon the stand and testify that she, her dead husband and other members of the family not only believed Harry mentally irresponsible, but that he suffered from a family taint. There is an insanity skeleton in the Thaw family closet, it is said. Sad faced Mrs. Thaw, the older, may testify that two of her brothers were insane, and that a sister is now in a mad house. But with [illegible] at stake, not even this humiliating admission will daunt her.

What the family can do to save the prisoner from ignominious death was discussed this afternoon at the most important family conference held since the [illegible] began. It was held at the Hotel Lorraine and was attended by the wife, mother, sisters and brothers of the [illegible]. Several of the Thaw lawyers were there. Before they left the hotel the last steps to perfect the defence had been arranged for.

Harmony in Thaw Family.

It is said that harmony now reigns in the Thaw family, and that the Countess of Yarmouth no longer spurns Miss May McKenzie, stage dancer and Evelyn Thaw's companion. The mother and sisters of the prisoner objected to Miss McKenzie's levity in court, it is understood, and ignored her entirely there and at the Hotel Lorraine, where all are stopping. But since the story of the discord was published, there has been no further sign of a break in the ranks of the defence.

Miss McKenzie continued all the week to sit beside Evelyn in the courtroom, but she was much more sedate. Occasionally she smiled and addressed some remark intended to cheer the pale, shrinking girl at her side. But there was no response to show that she had cheered the prisoner's wife. Young Mrs. Thaw has smiled only when she caught her husband's eye and even there was generally a tearful quiver at the corner of the beautiful rose bud mouth which lured men into mortal [illegible].

Evelyn Nesbit Thaw apparently has come to realize fully and keenly her position. It has been said that if Thaw is acquitted the next family step will be to have him seek a divorce from the beautiful artist's model who was so largely the cause of her husband's present tragic plight.

It was said that whether Thaw is acquitted or condemned his family will turn their backs forever upon his broken spirited little wife. Her plight then would be pitiful indeed since both her mother and brother have turned against her.

But this is vehemently denied by both Miss McKenzie and young Mrs. Thaw.

"I suppose," said Evelyn Thaw, "that we must endure such stories as we have to endure everything else."

GRATEFUL MEN AND WOMEN PRAISE PE-RU-NA

Mrs. Ellen Nagle, 414 4th St., Green Bay, Wis., writes:

"I have often heard Peruna praised and it is more widely known here than other medicines, but I never knew what a splendid medicine it really was until a few weeks ago when I caught a *bad cold* which settled all over me.

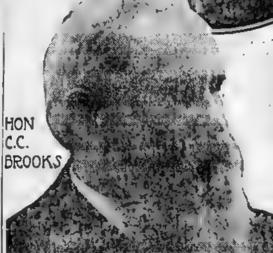
"The doctor wanted to prescribe, but I told him I was going to try *Peruna* and sent for a bottle and tried it. I felt much better the next morning and within five days I had not a trace of any lameness or cough."

MRS. ELLEN NAGLE

Prince Jonah Kalanianaole, Dewey Hotel, Washington, D. C., Delegate to Congress from Hawaii, writes:

"I can cheerfully recommend your Peruna as a very effective remedy for coughs, colds and catarrhal trouble."

MRS. S.S.M. MORRIS



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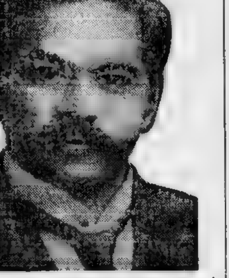

PRINCE JONAH KALANIANAOLE

Malarial Fever For Several Months.

Hon. C. C. Brooks, Mayor of Sunbury, Ohio, also Attorney for Farmers' Bank and Sunbury Building and Loan Co., writes:

"I have the utmost confidence in the virtue of Peruna. It is a great medicine. I have used it and I have known many of my friends who have obtained **beneficial results from its use.** I cannot praise **Peruna** too highly."

Cystitis Entirely Relieved.

Miss Mattie McArthur, care of Hospital, Medical Lake, Wash., writes:

"I have not written to you for some time, but, Oh, I have given you many words of praise. I am so well. I had cystitis very badly and could not walk any distance without suffering **intense pain, but I do not have a touch of my old suffering now.** I can never praise Peruna enough. I am telling every one how much good Peruna has done for me."

Catarrh of Head and Throat.

Mrs. William H. Hinchliffe, 20 Myrtle street, Beverly, Mass., writes:

"I have taken four bottles of Peruna, and I can say that it has done me a great deal of good for catarrh of the head and throat. I recommend Peruna to all sufferers with catarrh. I do not think I ever felt much better. I am really surprised at the work it can do. I do not think too much praise can be said of Peruna."

Mrs. H. A. S. Marsh, 2128 Reservoir St., Los Angeles, Cal., President Woman's Benevolent Association, writes:

"I suffered with **la grippe** for seven weeks, and nothing I could do or take helped me until I tried **Peruna.**

"I felt at once that I had at last secured the right **medicine** and I kept **steadily improving.** Within three weeks I was **fully restored,** and I am glad that I gave that truly great remedy a trial.

"I will never be without it again."

Used Pe-ru-na For Bronchitis.

Mr. Frank Battle, Jr., First street, near Charlotte Ave., West Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"I desire to say for the benefit of others that your **Peruna has** unquestionably cured me of chronic bronchitis. It is the grandest discovery of the age for throat and lungs."

Peruna is not simply a palliative to relieve some of the distressing symptoms. It brings permanent relief.

Mrs. Sue M. Morris, 2214 Patterson St., Nashville, Tenn., writes:

"Last fall a severe attack of malarial fever laid me up for some months. My condition was serious for a time and the doctor who was attending me did not seem able to cope with the trouble.

"A neighbor advised me to let the doctor's prescription alone and try Peruna, extolling its virtues to the skies, and I am now ready to do the same, for in three days I was much better and in ten days I was able to be up and in two weeks every trace of malaria had left my system.

"I now use Peruna off and on when in need of a tonic and it braces me up wonderfully."

"The Doctors Gave Me Up."

Mr. Lewis Kitchen, Hullington, Ohio, writes:

"I cannot thank you enough for the good your Peruna has done me. About six months ago I could not leave my bed, and the doctors gave me up saying that I had consumption and could not live. Then a friend recommended Peruna to me, and I commenced using it.

"When I started to use your Peruna I weighed 117 pounds, and now I weigh 172 pounds. I had been sick for ten years, and was so sick I could not turn over in bed when I began the use of Peruna. I think it is the greatest medicine of its time.

"I am now feeling well and hearty and would not be without Peruna."

Weak and Nervous.

Mr. Charles Brown, Rogersville, Tenn., writes:

"I feel it my duty to write you a few words in praise of your Peruna. I have tried many different remedies, but have found that Peruna is the greatest tonic on earth, and a perfect **system builder.**

"A friend advised me to take Peruna for **indigestion,** and it cured me in a short time. I was very weak and nervous, could sleep but little at night, but Peruna cured that tired, all-gone feeling, and made me feel like a new man, so I heartily recommend it to all who are weak and run down. **Peruna will give new life and energy.** I cannot speak too highly of Peruna, and will not forget to recommend it on every hand. I will answer any letter from those desiring to know what Peruna has done for me."

Systemic Catarrh.

Miss Marie Lesser, 928 W. 36th street, Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I am glad to give a good word for Peruna, and I hope that all who see this who are troubled with systemic catarrh as I was for years, will profit by it. I had tried many remedies, but none did more than give me temporary relief and some did not even do that.

"I took Peruna at the suggestion of a friend and was more than pleased and surprised at the results.

"I am now perfectly well and strong."

True Cause of Disease.

In these days almost every ailment is supposed to be caused by disease germs.

The medical profession as well as the people, seem to have gone mad over the germ theory of disease.

The universal fear and dread of disease germs is becoming a very serious matter to the welfare and happiness of the people.

Dr. Hartman has consistently contended through all the rise and spread of the germ theory, that most diseases are caused by climatic influences.

For instance, catching cold is responsible for more than one-half of the ills to which human beings are subject.

Danger of Neglected Colds.

A person catches cold easily, thinks nothing about it, neglects it, when it finally becomes settled in some organ of the body, and chronic disease is the result.

A few doses of Peruna in the beginning of the cold would have saved months of suffering, as well as great expense for treatment.

Peruna is a reliable relief for cold. Almost everybody knows this.

Instead of trying to dislodge or kill some imaginary germ, if Peruna was used at the proper time its tonic properties and anti-catarrhal qualities would soon convince the patient that he has found the right remedy.

A multitude of letters are received testifying to this fact.

Keep Peruna in the house. Use it whenever cold or climatic affections assail, and sickness in the household will become greatly lessened, if not entirely prevented.

Catarrh of the Stomach.

Mr. Christian Hofmann, R. F. D. 1, Slatington, Pa., writes:

"For many years I suffered with **catarrh of the stomach.** I was coughing day and night. After having tried three doctors and many remedies, one of your almanacs came to my hand, and I bought some Peruna. So far I have taken six bottles, and I have not suffered with **catarrh this summer.** I am cured and Peruna did it. I give Peruna to my children when they feel bad and you should see how healthy they are."

Nose, Throat and Stomach.

Mr. Delbert B. Craft, Lowell, Ind., writes:

"For a long time I suffered with **Chronic catarrh of the nose, throat, and stomach.** I would continually take cold and my stomach was in bad condition. I truly suffered untold misery. I took various medicines and tried the treatment of several physicians, but I felt no better. A friend advised me to take Peruna. I wrote to Dr. Hartman, who prescribed treatment. As soon as I commenced to take Peruna I was surprised at the relief it gave me. I kept on taking it until I had taken thirteen bottles and was cured."

Mrs. Joseph Vittur, 5700 Erie street, Austin Sta., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"Your medicine Peruna was of great benefit to me. I suffered with catarrh of the nose and head for many years. Three bottles of Peruna cured me, after I had considered it impossible to ever be cured again. I now always keep Peruna in the house, and recommend it to every one suffering from catarrh as a good remedy."

BEAUTIFUL SOCIETY LEADER WHO, RUMOR SAYS, SEEKS DIVORCE

MAY BRADY HALL

ELEVATOR CRUSHES MAN TO DEATH IN HOTEL LENOX.

Tries to Operate Car from the Outside and Pulls Wrong Lever, Being Caught by Head and Shoulders in the Well

While trying to operate a freight elevator from the outside of the car, Eugene Sullivan, of No. 35 Village street, South End, was crushed to death yesterday in the Lenox Hotel, where he was employed.

Sullivan was in a hurry and tried to send the car upward without stepping on the platform. He pulled the lever in the wrong direction and the heavy elevator shot downward so quickly that he was caught by the head and shoulders and crushed.

Two other employes of the hotel were on the elevator at the time of the accident, but owing to the swiftness with which the car shot downward they were powerless to assist the unfortunate man.

The hotel management kept the news of the accident a close secret and none of the guests knew of it till last night. Sullivan was unmarried. The body was removed to the undertaking rooms of Lewis Jones & Sons.

NEWPORT SOCIETY SCENT SCANDAL IN HALL DIVORCE CASE

Famous Society Beauty Who Wed Major in British Army Would Join Ranks of Divorcees.

Newport, R. I., Feb. 2.—Such members of the cottage colony who happen to be here during the March term of the Superior Court expect to be regaled with very interesting disclosures regarding the matrimonial life of Major and Mrs. Charles J. Hall if any divorce libel by the wife is heard then. Mrs. Hall was Miss May Brady, one of the most beautiful girls in Newport society, when she married Major Hall of the British army. He was very handsome and dashing, and captivated the American girl in the first stage of their acquaintance.

Like many another international marriage it proved unhappy. Mrs. Hall and her husband separated and she came to Newport with the intention of establishing in Rhode Island the legal residence necessary for divorce proceedings. She is occupying a cottage on Clay street, which she bought more than two years ago.

Mrs. Hall, who was famed for her rose leaf complexion, is as beautiful as ever. Only her intimates know her intentions in regard to divorce proceedings, but what she intends to do has been the basis of unending conjecture.

It is not expected that Mrs. Hall will condescend to appear in the gloomy old court house herself if any divorce libel on her behalf is to be heard there, but her testimony is likely to be by deposition.

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SOCIETY PEOPLE AT RIDING CLUB'S PRIVATE HORSE SHO

MISS FENNO & GOVERNESS

MR. GEO. H. STODDARD & THE MISSES STODDARD

BOSTON'S PRIVATE HORSE SHOW GREAT SOCIETY HIT

Splendid Riding by Young Horsewomen and Cheering Crowds at Riding Club's Invitation Exhibition.

A magic circle was drawn around the new Riding Club building on Hemenway street yesterday afternoon where a strictly Invitation Horse Show was held by the members.

All the wealth of a Croesus and the wisdom of a Socrates, couldn't break the magic circle, for only a tiny card of invitation gained the open sesame to the horse show.

Promptly at 2:30 p. m. the entries for the first class gathered in the ring. D[illegible] by Forbes in her regulation gray cloth habit with black derby and white kid gloves rode Bits, a handsome bay owned by Eliot Fay.

Contestants in Class 1.

Class 1 admitted saddle horses [illegible] 15.2 hands. Among the contestants were the Misses Elsie Ames, Amy Perkins, Natalie Thayer, Olivia Ames, Alice [illegible]ake, and Helen Thomas.

All the young horsewomen rode [illegible]fully. Each wore [illegible] black or gray. Elsie Ames won [illegible] a silver loving cup. [illegible] won the red and Olivia Ames got the yellow ribbon.

The entire setting [illegible] was [illegible] horse show in miniature. [illegible] was crowded with enthusiastic spectators, among whom were George H. Stoddard and his two daughters, Mrs. Walter C. Baylies, Mrs. E. Preble Motley, Mrs. George Mandell, Miss Crafts, Miss Fenno and Mrs. Leslie Knowles.

The upper part of one side of the show ring is covered with mirrors, which gave a pretty effect to the ring by reflecting horses and riders. Outside the ring the walls were decorated with evergreen wreaths and big bay trees. An orchestra played popular music during the waits.

Blue for Mrs. Andersen.

Mrs. Larz Andersen's [illegible], a beautiful black horse, carried o[illegible] the blue in the second class offered for the best harness horse fifteen hands and over with appropriate vehicle.

Alice Thorndike drove Firefly and was heartily applauded [illegible] when she gracefully [illegible] for Mrs. Andersen.

Reliant, a [illegible] Mrs. F[illegible] Mason, [illegible] third class [illegible] but Miss Sears [illegible]. The pretty [illegible] [illegible] sparkled and her cheeks [illegible] flushed [illegible] pink.

[illegible] horses [illegible] with the [illegible] cup. In this third [illegible] saddle horses over 15.2 hands [illegible] won second and [illegible].

[illegible] named [illegible] used it only two [illegible] what she [illegible].

[illegible] costume [illegible]

Evelyn [illegible] brown [illegible].

Winners [illegible] saddle horse were [illegible] second and [illegible] third. Eleanor Sears [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Radton.

Most hearty [illegible] given Thomas Pierce [illegible] six hurdles [illegible] was for hunters and the [illegible] half [illegible] ceeded best [illegible] was given him [illegible] expressed with [illegible].

Torch [illegible] Reginald C. Robbins [illegible] George S. Mandell's Locust Leaf [illegible] second and Mrs. Tom [illegible] the third.

Mrs. Lindsay rode extremely well, but Dorothy Forbes, who rode for Eliot Clarke, carried the palm for skilled hurdling. She sat her saddle firmly and gracefully, and after her jump the people in the gallery applauded quite noisily.

Phyllis Robbins, Margaret Stackpole, Nora Thayer, Nora Saltonstall, Louise Wheelwright, Margaret Richardson, George S. West, A. S. Bigelow and Fay Ingalls appeared in the ring as riders.

Society has voted that Riding Master Spear's exclusive horse shows are successes. It has set its seal of approval on the shows by attending them enthusiastically.

BEAUTIFUL HELLO GIRL REPORTED FIANCE OF CONGRESSMAN KELIHER

LILLIAN McNEILL

KELIHER TO MARRY HUB'S PRETTIEST "HELLO" GIRL?

Congressman John A. Keliher of Ward 9 refused in Washington yesterday either to affirm or deny the report of his engagement to Miss Lillian McNeill, a telephone operator, of whom the one hundred girls who work in the big building on Milk street of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company have voted "the prettiest hello girl in the Greater Boston district."

Miss McNeill lives with her aunt, Mrs. Ida [illegible] at No. 317 Saratoga street, East Boston. The young woman is a talented musician and a prominent member of the choir of the Sacred Heart Church.

She is tall and lithe and noted as a beauty. Her hair is raven and lustrous, her forehead high and white. Her eyes are a deep blue, hidden by long, curling lashes.

Miss McNeill won't talk about the matter. The neighbors about No. 317 Saratoga street say that the Congressman makes frequent visits to that section of the town. The aunt of Miss McNeill admitted that her niece and the Congressman had been seen together frequently. She referred further inquiries to the young lady.

POWERS AGEE ON NOTE.

Paris, Jan. [illegible].—The powers have unanimously approved the Franco-Spanish note relative to the withdrawal of the squadrons of France and Spain from Moroccan waters.

ROOSEVELT AIDS CHINESE.

Washington, Feb. 2.—It was announced this afternoon that the President and Secretary of State Root have each contributed $100 to the Chinese famine relief fund.

PUBLIC OPINION BILLS ARE URGED BY LEAGUES.

Public Opinion bills will be considered by the committee on election laws of the Legislature, at a hearing in room 440 at the State House Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Inasmuch as the Independence League is interested in the bill proposed by William N. Osgood, president of the State League, and the Massachusetts Public Opinion League is backing the bill proposed by Robert Treat Paine, Jr., and the labor unions of the State have generally indorsed the principle of having questions of public policy submitted to the voters, the hearing promises to be interesting.

Independence League Has Bill.

The Osgood bill, or Independence League bill, provides that on application of ten per cent. of the registered voters of the Commonwealth, questions affecting the whole State shall be placed on the official ballot for an expression of public opinion. Ten per cent. of the voters of counties and the same per cent. of the voters of cities or towns petitioning for an expression of the opinion of the public shall be required to have questions affecting counties, cities or towns placed on the ballot.

The Public Opinion League bill provides that questions shall be put on the ballot on application by voters equal to the number required under the present law for nominations.

Forces to Combine on One Bill.

Representatives of the two leagues will try to agree on amendments to either bill that will allow a combination of forces in support of one measure.

INCENDIARY FIRE AT REVERE BEACH

An incendiary set fire to the Metropolitan Hotel, on the Boulevard, Revere Beach, at eight o'clock last night. Had it not been for the quick action of Ernest Eggleston, of the Revere Fire Department, who saw the blaze and turned in the alarm, the five-story structure would have been doomed, and a large portion of the wooden buildings of the beach threatened. The loss was about $500.

NEEDED 8 MEN TO BEAR HER CASKET

Largest Ever Made in State for East Weymouth Woman.

One of the largest caskets ever made in this State was required to receive the body of Mrs. Augusta J. Reed, weighing over 400 pounds, who was buried at East Weymouth yesterday. The casket was six feet long, twenty-two inches deep and twenty-six inches wide. Eight men were required to lift the body into the casket, and there were six pall bearers.

TIME CARDS BUT MERRY BOOKS OF JEST.

Passengers on incoming trains bound to Boston yesterday found that the schedules on the different railroads centering here were fictions, purely dainty, carefully printed pieces of rare humor with which the railroad companies supply their patrons in lieu of comic almanacs and jest books.

Trains arriving at the stations were almost uniformly late, it almost seeming that a train crew bringing their coaches under the [illegible] on time were in danger of [illegible]. Few then were liable to punishment.

Of course, at the South Station, the Boston & Albany bore away the palm in the "race" to be behind time. Its crack Chicago special crept into the station one hour behind its arriving time. The Albany Local, which was due in Boston at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, sauntered in a good half hour to the bad. The train from Newton, on a long run except for a Boston & Albany train, managed to lose eighteen minutes, and instead of getting in at 8:57 in the morning, was not stalled until 9:15. The New Haven's Marlboro train, due at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, was a half hour behind time.

Between Wellesley Hills and South station a Boston & Albany train had the proud distinction of losing twelve minutes.

At the North station the Boston & Maine went at the schedule joke with a vengeance. Its Chicago and St. Louis express, due at 9:30 in the morning, was one hour and twenty minutes longer in coming than the time card called for. The train from Rotterdam Junction, due at 12:40 p. m., lost twenty minutes on the way, while the Provincial Express, due at 7:20 a. m., spent an hour and forty minutes loafing somewhere along the road. The morning train from Lowell, due at 8:05, was fifty-five minutes to the bad.

And there were others.

Just a word about the other kinds—that scratch the enamel and injure the gums and do not clean teeth.

The kinds that are only made to sell, and for nothing else.

There are about two thousand different kinds of tooth powders, pastes and whatnots on the market, but only one

SOZODONT,

the old, reliable tooth preparation—made, sold and used all over the world for sixty years.

Sozodont is made in three forms—liquid, powder and paste. Sozodont is sold everywhere.

DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Have You Rheumatism, Kidney, Liver or Bladder Trouble?

To Prove what Swamp-Root, the Great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, will do for YOU. Everyone May Have a Sample Bottle Sent Free by Mail.

Pain or dull ache in the back is unmistakable evidence of kidney trouble. It is Nature's timely warning to show you that the track of health is not clear.

If these danger signals are unheeded, more serious results are often sure to follow; Bright's disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble, may steal upon you.

The mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney and bladder remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest because its remarkable curative power has been proven in thousands of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine, you should have the best. A thorough trial will convince any one.

LAME BACK.

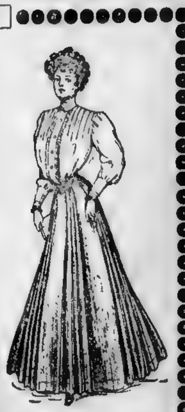
Lame back is only one of many symptoms of kidney trouble. Other symptoms showing that you need Swamp-Root are, being obliged to pass water often during the day and to get up many times during the night, inability to hold your urine, smarting or irritation in passing, brick-dust or sediment in the urine, catarrh of the bladder, uric acid, occasional headache, dizziness, poor digestion, sleeplessness, nervousness, sometimes the heart acts badly, rheumatism, bloating, irritability, wornout feeling, lack of ambition, loss of flesh, sallow complexion.

If your water, when allowed to remain undisturbed in a glass or bottle for twenty-four hours, forms a sediment or settling, or has a cloudy appearance, it is also evidence that your kidneys and bladder need immediate attention.

In taking Swamp-Root you afford natural help to Nature, for Swamp-Root is the most perfect healer and gentle aid to the kidneys that has yet been discovered.

If you are already convinced that Swamp-Root is what you need, you can purchase the regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles, at drug stores everywhere. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.

SPECIAL NOTE.—In order to prove the wonderful merits of Swamp-Root you may have a sample bottle and a book of valuable information, both sent absolutely free by mail. The book contains many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women who found Swamp-Root to be just the remedy they needed. The value and success of Swamp-Root are so well known that you are advised to send for a sample bottle. In sending your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure to say you read this generous offer in the Boston Sunday American. The genuineness of this offer is guaranteed.



We Give Legal Stamps

Separate Skirts

$5.50 Values Special at . . 3.98

Stock taking reveals the fact that we have too many $5.50 skirts on hand—to get rid of the surplus number quickly we've made this fractional price. They're made of fine chiffon Panama—cut full flare in a new plaited style.

More $7.50 Skirts at 4.98

Made from the same heavy grades of that fine, silky chiffon Panama that sold so readily last week. The style is a very attractive model in a seventeen-gore effect—splendidly made and finished.

Two Silk Waist Specials

$3.50 Silk Waists 1.98
Fine black taffeta silk. Entire front of broad plaits—button front and long sleeves.

$4.00 Silk Waists 2.98
Extra heavy black taffeta in a very pretty style. Front is in small pin tucks—deep cuffs.

Bring Legal Stamps Here
We Redeem
Filled Books for $2.00 Cash
or $2.50 in Merchandise

19c Stockings
12½c
Made from genuine Maco yarns in a fast black—spliced heel, double sole and toe.

"Your Money Back If You Want It"
WOLF'S
"MY CLOTHIER"
Hanover and Portland Streets

Golf Gloves
19c
Regular 25c and 50c qualities; for women, girls or boys—in gray, white, black, brown.

CORNELIUS SHEA IS CONFIDENT OF WINNING FIGHT

Teamsters' Brotherhood President Home from Chicago to See Family.

NEXT WEEK HE FACES CONSPIRACY CHARGES

Will Address Several Boston Labor Organizations Before He Returns.

"I am going to win out," said International President Cornelius P. Shea, of the Teamsters' and Helpers' Brotherhood, to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter on his arrival at his home in North Cambridge last evening. "I can't believe any twelve men will be found for a jury who will hold up such rottenness as is being shown to us, as is now going on in Chicago."

Despite the fact that he is fighting the corporation interests in his indictment charges of conspiracy against the Montgomery Ward Company, in Chicago, the outgrowth of the Garment Workers' strike, when 4,600 union teamsters went out in sympathy for their brother workers, Mr. Shea was in a happy frame of mind last evening. [illegible] home, to arrive in time for his eleven-year-old Margaret's birthday.

Mr. Shea sent a wire that he would arrive in Boston at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and his wife and a delegation from the local teamsters were at the South Station to enjoy one of the usual waits of nearly three hours for a late train.

"Indictment Quasher."

"I am now known as the 'indictment quasher' victim in Chicago," he said. "The strike broke out April 6, 1905. I was indicted on the conspiracy charge in May and in June the indictment was quashed, but I was re-indicted. In July again the indictment was quashed and I was re-indicted. Then they let the indictment stand a year and in July, 1906, they quashed the indictment and I was again re-indicted. They claimed by boisterous conduct and in a violent manner I conspired against Montgomery Ward & Company and injured their business. But why didn't they let the first indictment stand? No other explanation than to show the strength of the corporations in Chicago.

"Well, I was tried last September, the trial lasted 142 days, the strike lasted 105 days. The jury disagreed. I immediately demanded a second and a quick trial and when I left Chicago they were trying to get a jury. I go back in a week and expect to go on with the trial.

"People With Us."

"Our defence is we assume the right to strike in sympathy with our fellow workers; that the violence that did take place on the streets of Chicago was brought about by the importation of strike breakers and the righteous indignation of the citizens of Chicago. The people outside of the corporations are with us in Chicago. We are getting fair treatment and the public is getting the facts from the Chicago American and the Chicago Examiner, the only two papers not favoring the corporations.

"The State contends that a sympathetic strike is illegal and unlawful, and that the officers of the Teamsters' Union are responsible for engaging or allowing the organization to be engaged in the strike.

"We say this is not the law, never was the law and never will be the law, until the Employers' Association has full control of making the law to the exclusion of the masses.

"These prosecutors wish to curtail the liberties of the working people in the interest of property rights. If the jury convict us, it will show the purchasing power of the Montgomery Ward Co. is greater than the right of the people. I don't mean they will purchase the jury, but they claim their purchasing rights have been injured by our strike. It is a question if the rights of the people are to take precedent, or if the rights of one corporation are over those of the masses.

"If a conviction is secured it will lay a precedent giving the employers' association the power to show that sympathetic strikes are [illegible] all over the country. We contend that the Constitution of America allows a man to leave whenever he pleases.

"We claim we have the right to strike which is paramount to any right and the right of the purchasing public."

Capital Versus Labor.

Assistant District Attorney George Miller, [illegible] stated by Attorney Wilkinson, a corporation lawyer, and Miller himself a former street railway corporation lawyer, said at the last trial in a public statement issued to the press: "This is not a fight to secure justice for what I have done; but an open fight between capital and labor."

Originally [illegible] members of the teamsters' unions were indicted, but it has been gradually [illegible] until the number is now [illegible].

Mr. Shea [illegible] know it was a crime to [illegible] until Assistant District Attorney Miller in his charge to the last jury [illegible] referred to President Shea as [illegible] the Man from Boston.

Mr. Shea claims this [illegible] gained for him more [illegible] in Chicago than any other [illegible] during the controversy.

Mr. Shea will address [illegible] Local 21 this afternoon and Teamsters' Local 101 this evening on the [illegible]. He will also discuss it with the Boston Central Labor Union before returning with his family to Chicago.

ENDS DECLARE DEAD LAWYER IS THUG'S VICTIM.

psy Ordered to Determine w J. C. Enright, Former rmont Senator, Met Death Gas-Filled Hotel Room

land, Vt., Feb. 2.—The family and ds of the late J. C. Enright of Wind[illegible] a prominent lawyer and former State Senator, who was found dead yesterday in a New York hotel, refused to believe that he committed suicide. They declare that circumstances indicate that he died from injuries received in an assault. Coroner Harburger and the management of the Chelsea Square Hotel, where Enright was stopping, assert that he took his own life. The police are investigating and an autopsy has been ordered.

According to despatches from New York the Vermonter appeared at the hotel the night before he was found in his room lifeless, bleeding from several wounds. He stated that he had been assaulted and robbed. With the assistance of the hotel people, he was put to bed. In the morning he was found dead, and the room was filled with gas.

The coroner stated that the stopcocks were in bad condition and that while Enright had turned one on and thereby had taken his own life, it was accidental.

Enright was a native of Morgan and fifty-two years of age. He was a graduate of Dartmouth College, a member of the Windsor county bar, and owner of the Ascutney marble quarry. He had held office as school superintendent in Hartland, served two terms in the Senate and was a thirty-second degree mason.

RED CROSS NURSES BEHIND COUNTER

Corps Will Demonstrate at Siegel Store To-morrow Afternoon.

For the first time in the history of the city, Boston will to-morrow see a corps of Red Cross nurses giving advice culled from years of experience to mothers and fathers as to what are the proper toilet articles to buy to best preserve the health of the family.

The nurses will be at Henry Siegel's great store in Washington street. The event will be known as [illegible] Annual Red Cross Jubilee Sale. The articles on sale will be those of a standard quality in toilet articles, drugs and perfumes, medicines, sick room and nursery supplies.

The object of this innovation is to give those purchasing supplies for the nursery or sick room the advice and experience of the Red Cross nurses. They will tell the customers just what to buy, just how much they need of the various articles, and how much of them to use to the best advantage.

The Siegel Company guarantees that everything included in this sale was purchased especially for this event, and represents the latest and freshest products, and the best known standard grades.

Everything handled by a complete drug store will be on sale at prices one-third to one-half lower than those charged regularly for the articles.

THEFT CAUSES HALL OF CURIOS TO CLOSE

Paris, Feb. 2.—The Intransigeant, an employe of which recently stole a tablet from the African Hall of the Louvre, announces that as a result of the taking of the tablet the African Hall will be closed temporarily, because there are not sufficient guardians to protect the treasures there.

OFFICIALS DESTROY EFFECTS OF LEPER

B. & M. Clerk Who Contracted Disease in Trinidad Sent to Galloup's Island.

"The spread of leprosy from those who came in contact with Joseph Needham, the young Boston & Maine freight clerk, who was found to have developed the disease, need not be feared by the people of Boston," declared Dr. Thomas B. Shea, of the Boston oBard of eHalth, yesterday to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter. "Needham's case had not developed to that stage in which it is dangerously infectious."

This unfortunate man, twenty-two years of age, who lived with his sister on Oxford street, Somerville, is now an inmate at Galloup's Island. He contracted the disease in Trinidad, where he was born, coming to this city in 1904.

Needham's books, desk and office in the Boston & Maine freight station have been scientifically disinfected, his home was thoroughly cleansed and his effects destroyed.

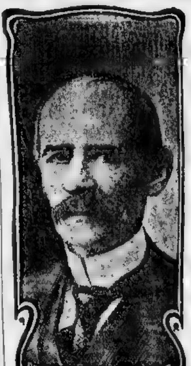
The clerks with whom he worked will be watched and examined by Dr. Shea for one year.

This Stock Jumps to 85c at Midnight, Feb. 23

Will Soon Be at Par---$1.00 Per Share

We are now ready to take orders and to deliver without unnecessary delay Cold Motors and Generators from 5 to 35 h. p. and Open Type Motors and Generators from 1 to 75 h. p., direct current. We will take contracts to install plants to light small towns, factories, department stores and hotels with arc and incandescent lights. We will send our agents to give estimates or close contracts if necessary to any part of the United States, Canada or Mexico. The Odorless Electrically Operated Carbonic Gas Refrigerating system (under Bidwell patents), of Compressors and Refrigerating machinery and Ice Plants from one to seventy-five ton capacity, for all places where ice or refrigeration is required. Will guarantee satisfaction and delivery within reasonable time. If you cannot call, write and ask for our free booklet. It gives full information.

The Bidwell Cold Motor Will Double the Capacity of Any Motor


PROF. BENSON BIDWELL.

Inventor of the Trolley Car System.
Inventor of the Gearless Motor.
Inventor of the Railway Car Telephone System.
Inventor of the Bidwell Cold Motor.
Inventor of the Water Electric Generator.

I never made an unsuccessful invention. My first invention was the electric fan just as it is run all over this country in hot weather. I didn't get a patent on it, but see what a tremendous success it is.

I next invented the trolley car system, just as it is run to-day. I made it perfect and successful right from the start. It has never been improved since I invented it. Look at the millions of money it has made for the stockholders. The stock in trolley manufacturing companies sold below 15 cents a share in 1893 and 1894. Poor men could buy that stock then. Thousands of them did buy it and every one who held on to it is a rich [illegible].

Next I invented the Railway Car Telephone System. It is a system by which passengers or train crews can telephone from still or moving cars anywhere the same as if seated in an office. It is a more perfect system in operation than any other telephone you ever saw. This is on the road towards millions for the stockholders.

THIS IS MY GREATEST INVENTION

Now I have invented something bigger and greater than either of the above. It is called the Bidwell Cold Motor. It is guaranteed not to burn out and is exactly the kind of a motor the steam railroad people have been looking for. It will change all the steam railroad systems over to electric roads, because it will be cheaper to run than steam and can be run faster and more safely than any other method.

The one drawback the railroads have had in changing over to electricity has been that no motor as at present made can be run 250 miles at 60 miles an hour without burning out. It would melt the very wires.

By using the Bidwell Cold Motor a train of cars can be run from New York to San Francisco without a stop at the rate of 80 miles an hour and not even warm up and without a hitch.

Besides running faster they would be more safe and sure than steam, cost less to operate, and would last longer than any other motor now known.

The Bidwell Cold Motor is the greatest invention out since I invented the trolley car.

DON'T SPECULATE—INVEST. THE OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME

I want to give every man and woman a chance to come in with me on this, for I expect to make millions for the stockholders out of these new patents.

The stock will be sold on the square. There will be no hocus pocus about the preferred or common stock, nor any other scheme, trick or wrinkle by which anybody can be frozen out.

Every dollar invested will represent one hundred cents of the best stock. Every share will be exactly like every other share. The profit on every share will be the same as the profit on every other share. In short, there will be nothing but a square deal all round. This stock is fully paid and non-assessable.

I have a life-long reputation for square dealing. I will personally see to it that every stockholder gets a square deal on this. More money is made every day by good judgment in investing money than by all the labor and wages in the country. Safe and shrewd investments in this stock will make fortunes.

You will never get rich on wages. No one ever did. Every man in this world who ever got big money got it by sound investment. Make a safe investment and it is sure to bring you returns.

Don't hesitate about this stock. It is absolutely safe and sure.

Here Is an Important Point to Remember!

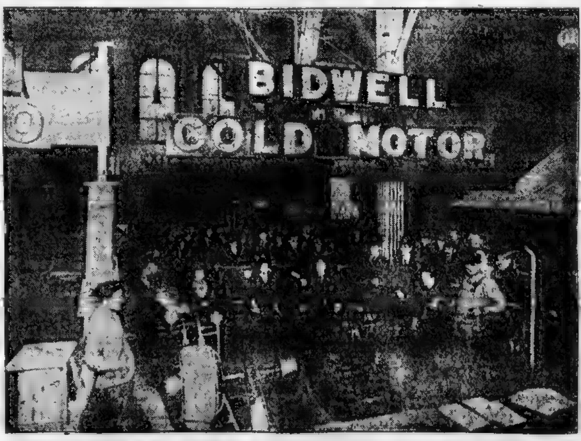
There never has been a failure of consequence in electrical manufacturing. Stop and think of that. All are immensely successful. All pay big dividends and have made their investors wealthy.

This company will soon be one of the biggest in electrical manufacturing [illegible].

This is bound to be so, because there is not a place now where a [illegible] will have to sooner or later change for the Bidwell Cold Motor or Generator. Why? Because we make something better than any other kind known.

Hetty Green, the Richest Woman in the World, Says: "The Way to Get Rich is to Invest in Necessities."

The Bidwell Cold Motor is one of the greatest necessities of the 20th century. This stock has already taken ten jumps up. Now is the time to buy. It will soon jump again. The profit is yours. Don't speculate—invest. Here you have a necessity. I will supply the greatest necessity now known in the business world. The demand is so large that it will make all of us rich. If you want to get in with me on this you will have to be quick about it. The stock is selling like hot cakes.



This cut shows two styles of our refrigerating machines of three tons refrigerating capacity operated twelve hours each day by the Bidwell Cold Motor at the Electrical Exposition held at the Coliseum Building, January 14th to 20th, 1907.

These Are Cold Facts—You Must Act Quickly—A Life Income for You

If you want some of this stock at the present low price you must come in now. There is only a small amount to be sold at the present price.

I firmly believe that within five years the stock will be selling at $3 a share. This is your opportunity. It is a case of come quick or not at all. I am at the office and factory, 133-139 S. Clinton Street, every day from 9 to 5 o'clock. Call and see me and let me explain anything you do not understand. As to our reliability and financial standing we refer you to any commercial agency.

In order to make it possible for every man and woman to get in with me on this big deal I have decided to sell the stock for a short time only at the following prices:

100 Shares, $75.00; 250 Shares, $187.50; 500 Shares, $375.00; 1000 Shares, $750.00, 5000 Shares, $3,750.00

Our Monthly Payment Plan

100 shares,	$ 6.00 cash,	11 monthly payments,	$ 6.00 each	Total, $ 72.00
250 shares,	15.00 cash,	14 monthly payments,	12.50 each	Total, 190.00
500 shares,	55.00 cash,	13 monthly payments,	25.00 each	Total, 380.00
1,000 shares,	100.00 cash,	12 monthly payments,	50.00 each	Total, 700.00
5,000 shares,	500.00 cash,	12 monthly payments,	275.00 each	Total, 3,800.00

Send all money by bank draft, express money order, P. O. order or registered letter.

AFTER FEBRUARY 23, 1907, the price will be 100 shares, $85.00; 250 shares, $212.50; 500 shares, $425.00; 1,000 shares, $850.00; 5,000 shares, $4,250.00. Call or write for free booklet of full information.

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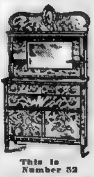
We want to reduce our stock to the lowest possible ebb before the heavy spring shipments arrive, because we need the room. We shall dispose of this stock now on hand by genuine mark-downs—the only kind known at Moller's. Every article marked down is perfect, desirable in every way—your money back if you want it. If you have been putting off your visit to our store, why not take the step now when reductions are in order?

All SIDEBOARDS Marked Down

We have not marked down only a few pieces, but every sideboard and buffet in our store. You will have to admit that these are astonishingly low price cuts—and when you see what good pieces they are you will then know our reason for saying that this is a chance you can't afford to miss. Here are a few samples taken at random.

No. 75—Solid Oak	Was $15.00	Now	$11.98
No. 52 Quartered Oak	Was 29.00	Now	23.85
No. 307 Quartered Oak	Was 45.00	Now	33.45
No. 210 Quartered Oak	Was 33.50	Now	21.75
No. 248 Quartered Oak	Was 29.00	Now	19.75
No. 164—Quartered Oak	Was 50.00	Now	39.90
No. 272—Quartered Oak	Was 40.00	Now	29.75
No. 163—Quartered Oak	Was 32.00	Now	24.75
No. 292—Quartered Oak	Was 70.00	Now	59.75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BUFFETS

No. 525—Quartered Oak	Was $15.00	Now	$12.85
No. 167—Quartered Oak	Was 20.00	Now	16.45
No. 115—Mahogany	Was 45.00	Now	29.75
No. 812—Quartered Oak	Was 32.50	Now	24.75

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Tapestry Carpets Made, Laid and Lined 69c a yard

GENUINE LOOP WOVEN TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETS, 30 handsome patterns, all made of worsted worsted. Regular price 85c a yard. Special for next week at 69c a yard, made, laid and lined.

WILTON VELVET AND AXMINSTER CARPETS, handsome designs, best quality. Regular price $1.40 a yard. **Special for next week at $1.20, made, laid and lined.**

HIGHEST GRADE TAPESTRY CARPETS, 60 patterns, best worsted, full ten-wire. Usual price 95c a yard. **Special for next week at 79c a yard, made, laid and lined.**

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MAN MEDICINE cures man-weakness and gives young manhood back again. The proof is free—a dollar package free for the asking. The public is hereby notified that any and every man who suffers from man-weakness—EARLY DECAY, DISCOURAGED POWER, NERVOUS DEBILITY, FUNCTIONAL FAILURE, VITAL WEAKNESS, BLOOD POISON, LOSS OF POWER, BRAIN FAG, BACKACHE, PROSTATITIS, KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE AND NERVOUSNESS, any one suffering from this or kindred trouble or from man-weakness of any kind, can obtain, free for the asking, the full-size dollar package of MAN MEDICINE and cure himself at home, the full package SENT FREE and DELIVERED FREE, under plain wrapper with full directions inside how to use it. We ask no payment of any kind, no receipts, no promises—nothing at all. The dollar package is now free. All we want to know is that you are not sending for it out of idle curiosity, and that you will give the medicine a fair trial, and be your strong, natural self again.

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ARCHBISHOP GUEST OF BOSTON K. OF C.

The Boston Chapter, K. of C., tendered a reception to Most Rev. W. H. O'Connell at Horticultural Hall last night. About seventy-five members of the order were present and listened to a very interesting talk by the coadjutor archbishop. The affair was conducted with a view of bringing the members of the chapter into more close relationship with their archbishop.

Many of the notables of the order were present, including State Deputy Daniel F. Buckley, D. J. O'Gorman, master of the fourth degree, and Rev. Fr. Supple, State chaplain. The meeting was called to order by Charles McKvella, chairman of Boston chapter. His Grace spoke briefly of the good the order has done.

THIRD ANNUAL DANCING PARTY

The Boston American Relief Association will hold its third annual dancing party to-morrow evening, in Catholic Union Hall. The committee of arrangements has made elaborate preparations for the party and hope, with the aid of the old friends of the society, to surpass the successes of the two preceding years.

A grand concert will be rendered by Kelly's Orchestra, under the leadership of Walter Kelly.

SWISS TO HEAD POLICE.

Berne, Jan. 26. Colonel Muller of the artillery of Switzerland, a cousin of the president of the Swiss confederation has been nominated inspector general of the international Moroccan police.

DRYDEN ILL, MAY QUIT THE FIGHT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, Feb. 2.—Information from Washington, Trenton and Newark to-night told of the illness of U. S. Senator Dryden in the national capital, and the probability of his withdrawal from the race for re-election to the U. S. Senate.

In Trenton, because of his illness, Senator Dryden is considered practically out of the race and the talk now is of a candidate to succeed him and one who will harmonize the warring factions.

State Treasurer Frank O. Briggs, who is also chairman of the Republican State Committee, is now looked upon as the most likely candidate. According to both factions he fills the requirement as a harmonizer.

WIDOW SEPARATES WEALTHY COUPLE

New Haven, Feb. 2.—M[illegible] Montague, a dashing young [illegible] to-night named by Mrs. Ella [illegible] divorce suit against Mr. S[illegible] the Superior Court to-day [illegible] asks $10,000 alimony. To [illegible] she to-day attached a [illegible] stock owned by her husband, a wealthy manufacturer.

Two months ago she [illegible] band's attraction for th[illegible] states. She left him [illegible] with a brother. Mr. and M[illegible] each about fifty years of [illegible] Montague is fully twen[illegible] junior. The separated co[illegible] ly of grown up children.

LOST 30 DAYS; ATE HORSE AND LYNX

SIOUX CITY, Feb. 2.—Reduced twenty-five pounds in weight and ill from exposure and hunger while lost for thirty days in the Canadian forest in Alberta, R. L. Fegley of Allen, Neb., has passed through here bound home. J. J. Callahan of Tekamah, Neb., his companion in the woods, is at the home of a relative in North Dakota, unable to make the trip. Fegley says they killed and ate one of their horses and were about to kill the other when they were lucky enough to kill several lynx, which they ate.

Finally they came upon an old Indian cache in which they found flour and meats, and after eating heartily they made their way to civilization.

WED FOUR TIMES IN BUT THREE YEARS

Central City, Neb., Feb. 2.—For the fourth time Mrs. Patrick Fagan has applied for a divorce from Pat Fagan, to whom she has been [illegible] times in three years.

In each case the cause for [illegible] was [illegible] on the p[illegible].

This time Mrs. [illegible] again marry Pat [illegible]. After the first marriage they lived [illegible] months. A vacation of three months [illegible] in another wedding.

A year later a divorce was obtained by Mrs. Fagan and a month after [illegible] again succumbed to Fagan's ardent [illegible]. Another six months saw another divorce and they lived apart for seven months before seeking a minister.

RICH MEN PROTEST ASSESSMENT JUMP

Greenwich, Ct., Feb. 2.—New York millionaire residents and other wealthy property holders of this town are raising a howl of protest against the assessors' increase in the tax list of from $11,000,000 to $2[illegible].

In the new grand list, E. C. Converse [illegible] valuation of a third of a [illegible] dollars. Adam Rockefeller's assessment was boosted from $110,000 to $[illegible]. H. O. Havemeyer, the sugar [illegible] has been raised from $146,000 to $[illegible]. [illegible] Benedict [illegible] 275 names, and [illegible] of New Yorkers.

RED CROSS NURSES

Have Volunteered to Assist Us in the Grand Annual

Red Cross Jubilee Sale

Beginning MONDAY, Consisting of Standard Quality — Toilet Articles — Drugs and Perfumes — Proprietary Medicines — Sick Room and Nursery Supplies

NOTICE—All the kinds you have used for years are included in this sale at one-third to one-half under the prices you have paid.

Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Essex Street Side.

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WASHINGTON AND ESSEX STREETS MAIL ORDERS FILLED

Commencing Monday, Feb. 4th.

WE will SELL TICKETS at our photo booth on the main floor, Hayward Place Side, entitling the holder to one dozen cabinet size photos—sepia platinum finish—book folders, and one oil miniature framed, all for **$4.50**

The regular price of the photos alone is $6.00, and the oil miniature would be considered a good value at $2.00

This unusual offer is for one week only, to get the people of Boston and vicinity better acquainted with the Siegel studio, which is conveniently reached by Hayward Place elevators. Take elevator near photo booth on main floor for the Siegel Studio

Great Feb. Framed PICTURE Sale

25,000 pictures were all purchased new for this sale so it is a collection free from undesirable subjects. Only the most desirable for Boston homes were accepted.

BEGINS tomorrow with values that cannot be duplicated for at least a year. Once a year we receive at half price the entire output of two of America's greatest picture factories.

All the new subjects are included at about half price—all the old subjects, including reproductions of those famous old masterpieces. Water colors, etchings, photogravures and fac-similes, all are included in this sale at half price.

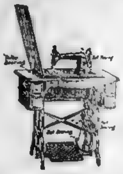
Pictures for wedding gifts—birthday presents and favors.

"Spring"
Close of day
Harvest of day
Autumn stillness
Summer's evening
My busy day
Harvest Moon
Sir Galahad
Thoroughbreds
Young Handel
After a hard day
The Angelus
Angels' heads
Arabian outposts
Old Monarch
Aurora
Baby Stuart
The Bookworm
Calling the Ferryman
Canal in Venice
The Gleaners
Golden Stairs
Good Shepherd
Christ at twelve years
Holy night
Holy family
Hon. Mrs. Graham
Horse Fair
Landscape "Corot"
Last Supper
Sistine Madonna
Madonna Della Sedia
Madame Le Brun
Mater Dolorosa
Coliseum
Roman Forum
Moonlight on the Lake
Reading from Homer
St. Cecelia
Sacred Heart of Mary
Sacred Heart of Jesus
Chariot Race
Christ in the Temple
Christ in Gethsemane
Christ blessing little children
Countess Potocka
Daniel's Answer to the King
The Fates
The Doctor
Duchess of Devonshire
Evening hour
Family cares
Madonna
Christ at thirty three
Rubens
Rembrandt
Broken Pitcher
Van Dyke
Windmill
Cherubs
Hope
Christ and the rich Ruler

LOT 1—All 25c pictures 15c	LOT 2—All 35c to 50c pictures 19c	LOT 3—All 50c to 75c pictures 25c	LOT 4—All 75c pictures 39c	LOT 5—All $1.25 pictures 49c	LOT 6—All $1.50 pictures 75c
LOT 7—All $2.00 pictures 98c	LOT 8—All $3.00 pictures $1.49	LOT 9—All $4.00 pictures $2.50	LOT 10—All $5.00 pictures $2.98	LOT 11—All $10.00 pictures $5.00	LOT 12—All $15.00 pictures $7.00

Henry Siegel Co.—Fourth Floor, Hayward Place Side.

February Sale Sewing Machines



SWIFTEST and easiest running machines made; self threading throughout, five drawers, drop head and looks like a table when closed. Will take all sizes from 98 to crochet silk; will do all kinds of sewing, hemstitching, tucking, etc. A machine that will pay for itself within a year, if not in money, in the satisfaction that an easy, smooth running machine gives. The following list will show the former and reduced prices:

10 Sewing Machines, were $15.00, each	9.98
3 Sewing Machines, were $19.00, each	12.50
15 Sewing Machines, were $21.00, each	15.00
18 Sewing Machines, were $23.00, each	17.50

Henry Siegel Co.—Basement, Essex Street Side.

February Semi-Annual FURNITURE Sale

SECOND WEEK BEGINS TOMORROW with all the enthusiasm and sensational furniture bargains at the rate of *$100 Worth of Furniture for Every $65 invested* that characterized the first week of this wonderful event.

It is surprising the large number of homes we have furnished complete during the past week. Single orders amounting into the thousands have been received, and we have sold hundreds of individual pieces and entire suites for dining room, bedroom and parlor. The crowds will be immendous again tomorrow, and the enthusiasm will be such that discriminating home furnishers from all parts of New England will want to be here to take part in the distribution of our Boston store's share of that great million dollar purchase of furniture made by our four mammoth stores for the February sales. Come while the enthusiasm is at the highest pitch, and, if you are not ready to receive your furniture we will hold your purchases and deliver them when they are desired.

Remember it is NOW that you have the opportunity to select $100.00 worth of 1907 furniture for every $65.00 you invest.

Furniture stored and held for future delivery when desired

$40 BRASS BED, 2-inch continuous posts, "T" ball construction, 3 beautiful spindles at head and foot, French lacquer, insuring perfect wearing qualities of the brass. February sale price $25.00

$3.00 DINING CHAIRS—We have 5000 of these chairs. While they last, February sale price $1.95

$25.00 BOSTON LEATHER COUCH, 30 inches wide, made with beautiful diamond tufts, selected oak, carved frames, green or red. February sale price $16.50

$25 BUFFET, selected quartered oak, thoroughly polished and constructed in first-class manner, full size double cabinet, large linen drawer, two small drawers, bevel edge French plate mirror. February sale price $16.50

$20 DRESSERS, 42-inch base, 22x28 oval bevel edge mirror, birdseye maple, imitation mahogany, natural birch. February sale price $15.00

$40.00 LEATHER TURKISH ROCKERS, made in first-class style, fitted with Harrington springs. February sale price $25.00

$12.50 ROCKERS, weathered oak, high back, fitted with loose cushions. February sale price $7.50

$40.00 COUCHES, selected quartered oak frames, steel construction, upholstered in genuine leather, of green or red. February sale price $25.00

$50 BRASS BED, 2-inch continuous posts, "T" ball joints. February sale price $29.50

$20.00 CHINA CABINET, made of selected quartered oak, bent glass ends, beautifully finished throughout. February sale price $12.50

$45 BUFFET, large size, swell front with perfect division of drawer room, new designs. February sale price $29.50

$20 EXTENSION TABLE, round pillar base, finished in either golden or weathered oak. February sale price $12.00

BRASS BED, 2-inch post, ⅝-inch fillers, well constructed. February sale price $19.50

$30 DRESSER in birdseye maple and mahogany and selected quartered oak, full swell front 24x30, oval mirror. February sale price $19.50

$12.50 MORRIS CHAIR FRAME, built on pure Arts and Crafts design, selected quartered oak. February sale price $7.50

$4 STEEL BED SPRINGS, Columbia, only 1000 of them. February sale price $2.25

$2.50 ROUND TABLES, quartered oak, 16-inch top. February sale price $1.25

$10.50 DRESSER, solid oak, two small drawers. February sale price $6.95

$16.50 DRESSER, golden oak and fancy woods, swell top drawer, pattern shaped mirror. February sale price $11.95

$85 DRESSER, 3 styles, all new designs. February sale price $65.00

$4.50 Steel Couches Columbia noiseless—drop side—limited number of 300 **$2.95**

Henry Siegel Co.—Entire Fourth Floor.

FEBRUARY SALE GROCERIES and CANNED GOODS

10c Quality Sugar Corn—Delicious, Sweet, New Southern Corn

2000 cases, aggregating 48,000 cans, of corn are ready for this tremendously important sale beginning Monday. Hundreds of private families and high-class boarding houses, hotels, etc., knowing the quality of this corn will want to purchase in case lots, therefore, we have made a special price on a case of two dozen cans at $1.35. Less than one dozen lots, price, per can............ **6c**

SUGAR

American Sugar Refining Company's crystal domino, neatly packed in a five-pound carton, special, per carton .... 38c (3 cartons limit)

FLOUR—24½ lbs. 58c

500 barrels Cream brand fancy family patent flour, every pound guaranteed, worth $5.25, special, barrel $4.39, 24½-lb sack 58c

Mail orders filled.
Henry Siegel Co.
5th floor, Hayward Pl. Side.

PEA BEANS—10 lbs. 49c

Finest California hand picked pea beans, uniform size, special, 20 lbs. 94c, 10 lbs. 49c

50c TEA—lb. 35c

High grade Formosa Oolong, English Breakfast, Japan, Gunpowder and Ceylon, regularly 50c, special, 3 lbs. $1.00, lb. 35c

33c COFFEE—lb. 25c

Majestic Blend, a scientific combination of fine old crop coffee, fine flavor and aroma, worth 33c, special, 4½ lbs. $1.00, lb 25c

SARDINES

200 cases Guy brand imported French sardines, key opening cans, special, 6 for 79c, can 14c

PURE LARD

Swift's Silver Leaf or Armour's Shield brand pure lard, special, No. 10 pail $1.19, No. 5 pail 61c, No. 3 pail 38c

HOLLAND HERRING

800 kegs genuine Holland herring, all milkers, special, keg 83c

LAUNDRY SOAP

Sunlight laundry soap, thoroughly seasoned, 10 5c bars 39c

BAKING POWDER

Hazel pure cream of tartar powder, none better at any price, special, full pound can 34c, ½-lb. can..... 18c

12c PRUNES—3 lbs. 25c

30,000 lbs. (1 car) fancy Santa Clara Valley prunes, delicious fruit, thin skin, small pit, 50 to the lb., worth 12c, special, 10 lbs. 78c, 3 lbs. 25c

Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor, Hayward Place Side.

The Great February Semi-Annual Sale of KITCHEN FURNISHINGS

ALL the bargain sensations of a year ago, so well remembered by hundreds of economical home furnishers who attended this semi-annual sale, will be repeated, beginning tomorrow. Hundreds of additional rare values will be offered—the result of that tremendous purchase of the $25,000 stock of kitchen furnishings from Simpson-Crawford Company, New York, representing the highest grade merchandise.

In reality two mammoth bargain events—our great February semi-annual sale and the great clearing sale of the Simpson-Crawford Company stock. It is hardly once in ten years that two such tremendously important events come together, and if you miss this one it may be a year before you will duplicate these values. Hundreds of our customers are waiting for this event, and will purchase quantities to last a year.

ROUND CLOTHES HAMPERS. With cover, French willow, barrel shape, $1.15 quality for.. 79c

ROUND CLOTHES BASKET—Best quality splint, 39c quality for 25c

OBLONG SPLINT CLOTHES OR BABY BASKETS—Large size, $1.25 quality for...... 98c

WILLOW NURSERY CHAIRS—With table, $1.35 quality for 98c

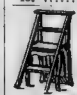
FOLDING IRON BOARDS Can be raised and lowered, $1.00 quality for........ 75c

TAMPICO LONG HANDLE FLOOR BROOMS—50c quality, for.... 29c

DISH MOPS—10c quality, for...... 5c

CLOTHES HORSES—Made of selected white wood, size 51 in. high, 24 in. wide and 36 in. long, value $1, for 49c

LAUNDRY FORKS—12c quality for .... 7c each



STEP LADDER CHAIRS Hardwood, nicely varnished, $1.25 quality for 89c

SMALL OVAL CLOTHES BASKETS Best quality French willow, 75c quality for 59c

MEDIUM SIZE OVAL CLOTHES BASKETS. $1.00 quality for 79c

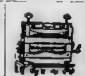
RATTAN RUG BEATERS—3 ply wire bound, regular value 25c, for 19c

TABLE OIL CLOTH—1¼ yards wide, all the fancy colors, plain white or white marble colors, regular 20c and 25c quality, a yard, for 15c

BREAD RAISERS—Heavy tin ventilated cover with foot, 50c quality, for........ 29c

GALVANIZED IRON WASH TUBS.

Small size, value 70c, for........ 45c
Medium size, value 80c, for........ 55c
Large size, value 90c, for........ 65c



CLOTHES WRINGER Highest grade of pure rubber rolls, 5 yrs' guarantee $3.98

OVAL WASH BOILERS Patent wood handles, heavy copper bottom, 1 X X best quality tin plate.

Size No. 7—$1.45 kind for..... 99c
Size No. 8—$1.60 kind for .. $1.19
Size No. 9—$1.75 kind for... $1.29

GALVANIZED IRON WATER PAILS Ball Handle.

10 qt. size, regular 25c kind, for.... 15c
12 qt. size, regular 30c kind, for.... 19c

OUR SPECIAL ASH CAN—Make of Galvanized Iron—Size 17x20, $1.50 quality, for. 98c 100 limited quantity while they last.

ASH SIFTERS—All Wire Galvanized Iron—With wooden cover, $1.00 quality, for...... 69c

WAXING BRUSHES—Weighs 15 lbs., for polishing floors, value $2.00, for. $1.50

FAMILY DIAL SCALES—Weigh 24 pounds, regular value $1.45, for 98c

Grey Enamel Ware Sale

TEA AND COFFEE POTS Hinge Covers

1 qt. size, value 30c. 19c
1½ qt. size, value 35c. 19c
2 qt. size, value 45c 25c
3 qt. size, value 50c 29c
4 qt. size, value 60c 35c

DOUBLE BOILER For Cooking Cereals and Puddings.

1½ qt. size, value 45c........ 29c
2 qt. size, value 55c........ 39c
2½ qt. size, value 65c........ 49c
3 qt. size, value 75c........ 59c

GREY ENAMEL WARE DISH PANS.

10 qt. size, 45c kind, for..... 29c
14 qt. size, 55c kind, for.... 39c

SNOW SHOVELS—Values 25c and 35c, for 19c

YACHT OR DRY MOPS—For hardwood floors, good quality cotton, value 40c, for 25c

TEA KETTLES Flat Bottom, Cover.

4 qt. size, value 50c........ 35c
5 qt. size, value 65c 45c

BERLIN SHAPE Cooking Pots with Cover and Bail Handle.

4 qt. size, value 40c 25c
6 qt. size, value 50c........ 29c
8 qt. size, value 60c 39c
10 qt. size, value 75c 49c
12 qt. size, value $1.00 ...... 59c

LIP STEWING OR PRESERVING KETTLES.

10 quart size, value 65c..... 39c
12 quart size, value 75c....... 49c

GREY ENAMEL WARE WATER PAILS.

10 quart size, 50c kind, for........ 29c
12 quart size, 65c kind, for 39c

GREY ENAMEL WARE BASTING SPOONS—All sizes, at each 5c

MOP WRINGERS—Iron Rolls—Fasten to a pail, $1.25 quality, for 98c

LIP SAUCE PANS

1½ qt. size, value 15c .. 10c
2 qt. size, value 20c........ 12c
3 qt. size, value 25c........ 15c
4 qt. size, value 30c........ 18c
5 qt. size, value 35c........ 20c
6 qt. size, value 40c........ 25c
8 qt. size, value 50c........ 29c

SAUCE PANS Berlin shape, with cover, long handle. 3 qt. size, value 35c. 19c

4 qt. size, value 40c........ 25c
6 qt. size, value 50c 29c
8 qt. size, value 60c 39c

GREY ENAMEL WARE FRY PANS.

10-inch size, 30c quality, for..... 19c

MOP HANDLES—Extra strong, 15c quality, for 10c

RUBBER CUSPADORE MATS—Octagon shape, value 35c, ... 19c

PARLOR BROOMS

SIZE No. 6—3 sewed, extra fine quality green corn, 30c quality for, each........ 23c

SIZE No. 7—4 sewed, extra fine quality green corn, 40c quality for, each........ 29c

FLOOR BRUSHES For hardwood floors—long handle, value $1.00, for ...69c

DUST PAN BRUSHES

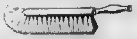
All bristles, 35c value, for.... 19c

SANITARY OR TOILET BRUSHES—Long handle, 35c quality, for 25c

COBBLER OUTFITS—To repair your own shoes. These sets consist of 1 stand, 3 size lasts, 1 hammer, 1 shoe knife, 1 peg awl, 1 needle awl. Regular price $1, special for....... 49c

TABOURET OR PLANT STAND—Golden oak or weathered oak finish—16½-inch high, 10-inch top and 7-inch bottom shelf, curved legs, value 50c, for.... 35c

INCANDESCENT GAS LAMP—Complete with a brass regulating burner, a select mantle, good quality, an air hole clear glass chimney globe, 50c outfit complete, for........ 25c



DUST BRUSHES

Extra large size, all bristles, value 45c, for 29c

POINTED FURNITURE BRUSHES

Value 45c, for 25c

WINDOW BRUSHES

Including 4-foot long handle, value 75c, for 49c

STOVE BRUSHES

Value 18c, for 10c

STOVE BRUSHES

Extra good quality, value 35c, for..... 19c

LISK ROASTER Size No. 2, regular $2, for $1.50

Size No. 3, regular $2.25, for.... $1.75
Size No. 4, regular $2.50, for.... $2.00

GALVANIZED IRON OIL CANS.

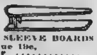
2 gallon size, special 35c kind, for..... 25c
5 gallon size, special 60c kind, for...... 39c

FLOOR OILER—Long handle with felt wiper, and one quart can of floor oil, complete outfit for........ 75c

RUBBER DOOR MATS—Size 17x30, fancy patterns, $1.00 quality, for.......... 79c

NAIL OR VEGETABLE SCRUBS—5c quality, for, each........ 3c

BISSELL'S CARPET SWEEPER One Domestic Regular value $2, each $1.45



SLEEVE BOARDS

Value 19c, for 10c

MRS. POTT'S NICKEL PLATED SAD IRONS—No C. O. D., no mail or telephone orders, one set to a customer, a set 69c

CURTAIN STRETCHERS—Adjustable Sliding Pins—Easel back, regular value $2.50, for .... $1.49 No-Piece Kind.

WALL CLOTHES DRYERS—With 10 arms, value 65c, for.... 39c

EXTRA HEAVY DRY MOPS—Polished red handles, 69c quality, for.......... 49c

MANILA CLOTHES LINES—Hand-made, 100-foot lengths, 45c quality, for.......... 25c

WEEK WAS BUSIEST OF YEAR IN REAL ESTATE

Boston University Transfer In Brookline Vacant Land Record Breaker.

The past week in the real estate market was one of the busiest since the first of the year. In the number of large deals it held the record for many months. A large number of transactions were reported, both in the city and suburbs, while many properties in more distant localities changed ownership through the offices of Boston dealers.

One sale was reported of vacant land in Brookline, aggregating 378,063 square feet, assessed for $227,000. This is a record breaker, both as regards the area and value of the land sold. The sale was made by Frank A. Russell for the Boston University, to Rollin H. Allen, who will improve the property with stores, apartment houses and single dwellings. Mr Allen was represented by Arthur H. Williams of the Devonshire building. The land is divided into six parcels located and valued as follows:

Winthrop road, 52,008 square feet, $41,000; corner Beacon and Washington streets, 43,000 feet, $40,000; Claflin, Rawson and Garrison roads, 42,236 feet, $30,500; Tappan street, 86,680 feet, $ 5,500; Rawson, Claflin and Winthrop roads, 100,872 feet, $45,000; corner Rawson and Garrison roads, 52,700 feet, $35,000.

Sells Country Seat.

One of the largest out of town transactions, involving $30,000, in which a Boston man was the purchaser, was the sale by J. R Harding of Marlboro, through the office of the Edward T. Harrington Company, of his country seat and farm located on Weeks street, off Concord road, in that city.

The estate includes 154 acres of land, with colonial house, modern stock barn and other outbuildings. David C. Percival, Jr, of Commonwealth avenue, was the purchaser. The sale price is not made public, although it is known that $30,000 was asked.

Through the same office, John F Kinney has purchased from Joseph Bergin, of Philadelphia, the property No. 105 Marcella street, Roxbury, consisting of a modern three-family house and 2,000 feet of land, assessed altogether for $3,100. C. E. Harris has purchased from Charlotte A. Freeman the property No. 9 Chilton road, Highland station, West Roxbury, consisting of a ten-room dwelling and 5,000 feet of land, all assessed for $5,500, although the price paid was in excess of this amount; L. H. Leonard, of Dorchester, has purchased from the Chelsea Savings Bank the two-family house No. 131 Franklin street, Brighton, assessed with the land for $5,500, and H Walton has sold to a party who will erect a two-apartment house in the Spring, 4,000 square feet of land located on the northerly side of Waters avenue near Glendale terrace, Everett.

The Edward T Harrington Co. also reports that papers have been passed for the sale to Alfred R. Shrigley of the lot of land situated on Waltham street, West Newton, belonging to Walter H. Gleason; that deed has gone to record conveying the estate in Newton, belonging to Mark A. Ethridge of Alberta, Can., to a Mr. Wentaill.

Big Sale Next Month.

One of the largest, costliest and most widely known estates in the East is under an agreement, this company reports, and papers are to be passed in the middle of March, conveying the entire estate, together with all the blooded stock. The price to be paid by the purchaser, "one of Boston's oldest families," is said to be "well up in the five figures," and the sale will remove the property from the market forever.

Henry W. Savage reports having negotiated during the week the first lease to be signed for space in the Copley square garage, now being built on Harcourt and Irvington streets, Back Bay. The G H. Proctor Supply Company are the lessees. It is expected that the building will be finished by May 1.

Further transactions reported by the Henry W. Savage office during the week are as follows:

Agreement papers signed for the sale for Sarah L. Chadbourne, of No. 39 Tileston street, assessed for $6,200; final papers passed for the sale of two two-family houses, Nos. 77 and 87 Waverly street, Everett, with 7,000 feet of land each, assessed for $8,700, conveyed by Margaret Spalding to George C. Murphy; final papers have gone to record for the sale of two three-story brick houses, Nos. 937-939 Parker street, Roxbury, carrying a total assessment of $5,600, conveyed by H. F Nelson to J. S Rand; final papers have gone to record for the sale of fourteen acres of land on Spring street, Foxboro, sold by Annie Hodges to William Graves; final papers have gone to record for the sale of a farm property belonging to T. N. Smith, situated in North Attleboro, sold to Edmond S. Brastow, and final papers have gone to record for the sale of a farm property belonging to John S. Rand in Barnstead, N. H., sold to Herbert F. Nelson.

The Thomas-Reeves Company has sold for William A. Burrill to Hugo Dahncke of Boston, the estate No. 11 Baxter street, Melrose, assessed for $2,800.

Sales in Newton.

Through the office of John T. Burns, No. 363 Centre street, Newton, the following sales in Newton are reported during the past week:

The C. S. Boothby estate, No. 106 Tremont street, Newton, has been sold to Mrs. Helen M. French of Allston. The property is assessed for $8,000.

Charles Freeley of Boston has purchased the estate situated at No. 146 Jewett street. The Lyman 5c. Savings Bank were the grantors. The property consists of a two-family house and 12,000 feet of land, the whole being assessed for $9,000.

The single house and 7,100 square feet of land on 7 Remick terrace, has been conveyed to D. L. Morash of West Newton. James French was the grantor.

The cottage house and 6,000 feet of land at 318 California street, has been transferred from Mrs. Ellen M Nevins to Thomas Eggleston, both of Newton.

The estate situated at 31 Channing street, and owned by Mrs. Lydia M Barnes, has been sold to L. Carton of Newton. The property consists of a 10-room house and 11,400 square feet of land.

Deeds were passed for the sale of two houses belonging to J. F. Kinney of Roxbury. C Keefe is the purchaser. The real estate conveyed is situated at 98 Los Angeles street and 87 Allison street.

The four-apartment house situated at Nos. 29 and 31 Fayette st., has been sold to Patrick Maguire of Newton. Lawrence O'Brien, of Cambridge, was the grantor.

The cottage house situated at No. 265 California street has been sold to J. L. Mahoney of this city. J. A. Powell of Watertown was the seller.

Mrs. Jessie L. Perkins of Dorchester, has purchased the double frame dwelling and 5,000 feet of land at Nos. 24 and 26 Newcastle road, Brighton. E L. Boughton was the grantor. The property is assessed for $4,800.

Mr A. H Waitt of Newton, has sold the two-family house situated at Nos. 14 and 16 Thornton place, Newton, to Mrs Mary Joyce, also of this city.

Real Estate Exchange.

The following data are taken from the files of the Real Estate Exchange at the end of the week:

[B. signifies Brighton, C., Charlestown, Ch., Chelsea, D., Dorchester, E. B., East Boston, R., Roxbury, Re., Revere; S. B., South Boston, W., Winthrop, W. R., West Roxbury.]

Seller.	Buyer.	Location.
G.W.Pope est.	H. Gurta.	Pembroke st.
W.J.Stober.	Trs. of Boston University.	Boylston and Exeter sts.
E.Pratt et al.	W.D.B.Mead.	Falmouth and Norway sts.
H Sheehan.	A.V.Lincoln.	Barton st.
O.Munro est.	do	do
E. L. Holbrook	F H Rudd.	Shawmut ave.
F H Rudd	W.A Hickman	do
L.Olyer	E. S. Browne.	Melrose & Bay sts.
H J.Paine.	D. Mazur.	Chambers st.
E.Goodwin est.	A. James.	Hanson st.
F.E.Park est.	J. E. Parker.	Broadway and F st., S. B.
M Aronson et al	S.Dello-Iacono	Havre st. and Model pl., E. B.
L.A.Ginsburg.	J.Forgeron.	Saratoga st., E. B.
H.O.Gary.	W. W. Fish.	Rockland st. and Wakullah st. R.
H F Nelson.	J. S. Rand.	Parker st. R 2 lots.
C J.Jordan.	J. A. Buckley.	Barry st., D.
W.F Bryan.	C. A. Nelson.	Peverell st., D.
do.	J W Anderson.	do
M Anderson.	C Lauberg.	Kerwin st., D.
A G.Carcano.	S. Davison.	——, D.
W.Riley.	J. W. Duane et al.	Elton st., D.
H. Fairbanks est.	H. Stevens.	Charles st., D.
C A.Hall.	M. J Stuart.	Armandine st., D.
W.P Rice.	A. J. Woods.	Nonantum road, B.
N Appleton.	S. G. Wells.	Lake st. and Appleton road, B.
S.G.Wells.	E. B. Wills.	do.
C.Dupee.	Boston & Albany R R Co.	Cambridge st., B
E.Bridge, mtg.	M.Bloomann.	Russell and Eden sts., C.
M.J.Pauline.	L. Levin.	Spruce st., Ch.
E.A.Bulfinch.	S. Green.	Congress av., Ch.
C.W Glidden estate.	R.J Townsend.	Pierce st., Re.
do.	F. R. Sine.	do.
E.K Baker.	C. Chase.	Proctor av., Re.
G.H.Barton, mortgagee.	W. Barton.	Petrel av., Re.
W.Barton.	R. G. Bartlett.	do.

BEEF TRUST BUYS HAVERHILL YARDS

Haverhill, Feb. 4.—Final papers passed at 5 o'clock to-day transferring all of the rights and titles of Charles A. Davis of this city and Newburyport to the Beef Trust. By an agreement, a large sum of money is paid for the slaughter house, storage warehouses, horses, drays and beef wagons.

Mr. Davis, who has accumulated wealth, enters upon safety for a period of ten years, agreeing to keep out of the wholesale beef business in this vicinity for that time. The Trust will hereafter control the situation, taking immediate possession of all the Davis stockyards and property.

LABORER BLOWN TO BITS.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 2. By the explosion of a ton of giant powder and 1,000 pounds of dynamite at a railway construction camp near this city to-day Antonio Mateo, a Greek laborer, was literally blown to bits.

NEWPORT MAN FINDS 3000-YR.-OLD QUEEN

Special Cable from the Hearst News Service.

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Cairo, Egypt, Feb. 2.—One of the grievances which the cultured classes in Egypt have against the British-controlled government is the complaisance with which it allows ancient tombs to be rifled, and mummies to be subjected to all sorts of indignities.

No respect for the dead prevents the remains of the great ones of ancient Egypt being dragged from the tombs where they have lain thousands of years, exposed to the gaze of sightseers, and often neglected so that they crumble to dust. Fragments of mummies are even used in Egypt as firelighters.

The mummy of Queen Thi, who reigned 3,350 years ago, is the latest dead monarch to be unearthed, and will probably find its way to some European or American museum, unless the government prevents. Theodore Davis of Newport, R. I., found the Queen's tomb.

Would the English, it is asked, let the bones of Alfred the Great or William the Conqueror be exhibited as a curiosity in a foreign museum, without making an indignant protest?

HETTY GREEN TO FIGHT BILL OF LAWYER.

> ## Hetty Green Declares Lawyer Overcharged
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> I FEEL satisfied that I am being charged more than I should pay. I will never pay Lawyer Whipple $10,000 unless ordered to do so by courts. I have more or less business troubles. Some people think that because I am a woman that I can be imposed upon, but after it is all over they usually find out differently.
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> —*Statement by Hetty Green.*

In Boston for another fight for what she thinks are her rights, Mrs. Hetty Howland Green of New York is here to meet the lawsuit brought against her by Attorney Sherman L. Whipple, who is suing this woman financier for professional services. Mrs. Green arrived in Boston on Friday as the guest of Miss Floretta Vining of Hull, and is stopping at the Parker House.

Attorney Whipple's charges for fighting Mrs. Green's lawsuit against William W Crapo of New Bedford, three years ago when she brought action concerning the income of an estate involving about $200,000 in the courts at Taunton, were $10,000. Mrs Green says that the understanding was that she was to pay Attorney Whipple according to the services he rendered her and she thought that $5,000 was just about right.

Will Fight to Finish.

When Attorney Whipple charged her $10,000, this, to Mrs. Green, was a challenge for battle. She declares that this is an overcharge.

"I have been busy in New York and Chicago since I was in Boston last," she said yesterday to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter. "I have all that I can do to overlook my different properties. I just came to Boston this time to defend this suit, feeling entirely satisfied that I am being charged more than I ought to pay.

Offers Compromise $6,000.

"I have gone so far as to offer $6,000 in settlement of this suit, but I will never pay Lawyer Sherman L. Whipple $10,000, unless ordered to do so by the Courts.

"Oh, yes, I have more or less business troubles. Some people think that because I am a woman that I can be imposed upon, but after it is all over they usually find out differently," saying this with a grim, yet humorous, smile.

"Probably Mr. Whipple believes that he is right in this instance, but as I don't agree with him I shall allow the courts to decide between us. I am fully capable of managing my own affairs. Don't you think that my life has proved this?

Miss Vining Principal Witness.

"Miss Vining was present when I made my contract with Attorney Whipple. She is my principle witness in this suit, and will tell the court just how it all happened and what the agreement between us really was. Mr. Dodge seems to be fair-minded and I am quite satisfied with him as a referee."

In the opening of the suit yesterday, Attorney Whipple declared that under the terms of the contract he had made with Mrs. Green, his services amounted to $10,000, but that no definite sum had been mentioned in their agreement, it being merely a provisional understanding depending upon the time and work required and contemplating the interests involved. The session was occupied in the preliminaries of the suit and did not get so far as the hearing of the evidence.

MME. FOULAIRE'S WRINKLE CURE

I have a remedy that will speedily eradicate any case of wrinkles on earth, no matter how bad or what the cause.

Makes Men and Women of 50 Look 25

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To those unacquainted with the remedy this may seem a broad statement but I am prepared to prove it by the same men and women whose appearance speaks for itself.

The remedy has created a genuine sensation in this city by entirely restoring the youthful appearance in a number of bad cases of long standing after all else had failed and they were given up as hopeless. Here's what it will do.

It Makes Old Faces Young.
Removes All Lines and Wrinkles.
Corrects a Flabby or Withered Skin.
Makes Thin Faces Plump.
Fills Out Hollow Cheeks.
Develops the Bust Full and Round Without Massage.

If you have wasted your time using massage creams, rollers, plasters, etc., this remedy will prove a revelation to you, and I want you to test it free and judge for yourself.

My remedy is never sold through agents.

FREE Full directions and sufficient of the remedy to show what it will do will be sent plain sealed to anyone for 4c. postage. Address

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Every Dollar's worth of furniture offered in this sale is thoroughly reliable, new and up to date in every particular, and was bought by us before the great advance of from 20 to 50 per cent in the cost of everything that enters into the making of good furniture. We cannot duplicate a single piece today at the prices we now offer them for at retail, and a comparison of these prices with the so-called low prices of others will convince the most skeptical that

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In addition to the thousands of pieces of new furniture offered in this sale we shall close out at ridiculously low prices all odd lots and broken lines, single pieces, broken sets, laggards and slow sellers disclosed by our semi-annual inventory just completed and many of the rarest kind of bargains can be picked up by any one who needs an odd piece for some nook or corner.

Buy Your Furniture Here and Now at This Great February Sale and Save From 33⅓ to 50 Per Cent on what You Will Have to Pay Later

An extra salesforce has been engaged and every possible preparation made to wait upon a large crowd of customers, but we ask your indulgence and patience if you fail to be waited upon at the moment. Just take a seat and be comfortable until a salesman is at liberty. We must also ask that you give us as long a time as you can for delivery, as our shipping force will be taxed to the limit during this great February sale.

All Purchases Upon Which a Deposit Has Been Made Will Be Held for Future Delivery

As Quantities Are Small On Many Lots We Cannot Guarantee to Fill Mail Orders

This and Another Design Iron Beds, regular $3.50 and $4.00 values, at.....$2.49 and $2.69

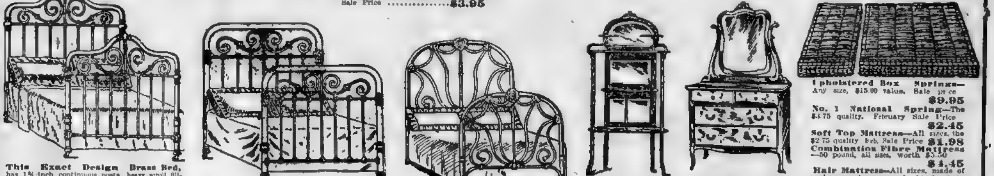
Brass Bed, Like Cut—1¼ in. continuous posts as shown very strong and durable. We have them in 4.6 and 3.6 sizes, value $22.00. February Sale Price $11.85

This Elegant Metal Bed—Exceedingly strong and well-designed, value $8.00. February Sale Price $3.95

This Exact Design Metal Bed has 1 1-16 inch posts, brass knobs, 7 strong fillings, regular $5.50 value. February Sale Price $3.49

This Design Iron Bed, sold elsewhere at bargain prices for $2.98. Our price for Monday, only $1.98

Iron Bed, Like Design, has 1 1-16 inch posts, massive construction throughout, value $8.75. Sale Price $4.49



This Exact Design Brass Bed, has 1⅝-inch continuous posts, heavy scroll fillings, full size. We have just 12 of them value $30.00. February Sale Price $18.49

Another Design, in 2-inch continuous posts of massive fillings. We have them in 4.6 and 3.6 sizes, value $32.00. February Sale Price $19.95

This Handsome Brass and Malleable Iron Bed has 1⅝ continuous posts, heavy scroll brass filled centre—in full size only, value $18.75. February Sale Price $9.85

This Exact Design Malleable Iron Bed has 1⅝ continuous posts, massive fillings, value $12.75. February Sale Price. $7.95

Parlor Cabinet, exactly like cut, regular $20.00 value. February Sale Price $14.49

This High Grade Dresser has 42-inch base, made in genuine ¼ sawed golden oak, highly polished. Well worth $18.00. February Sale Price $11.90

Upholstered Box Springs—Any size, $15.00 value. Sale price $9.95

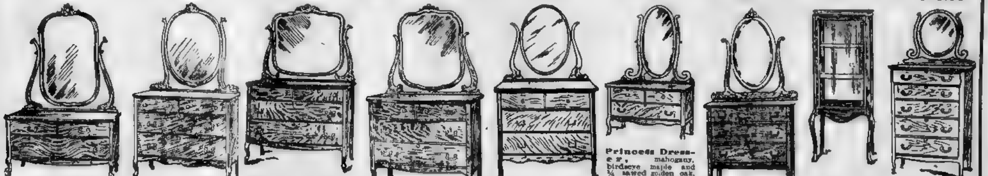
No. 1 National Spring—The $3.75 quality. February Sale Price $2.45

Soft Top Mattress—All sizes, the $2.75 quality. Feb. Sale Price $1.98

Combination Fibre Mattress—50 pound, all sizes, worth $5.50 $4.45

Hair Mattress—All sizes, made of medium grade gray and black hair, thoroughly sterilized, best hair ticking, regular $14 value. Sale Price $9.65

Hair Mattress—Filled with long gray horsehair, covered with finest feather ticking, regular $22 value, $15.95



Empress Dressers Like Cut, and several other designs, $55.00 and $60.00 values. A limited quantity of these in this February sale as long as they last at $36.49

High Grade Dressers, in oval and fancy pattern plate designs, all have serpentine shaped fronts. Construction and finish are the very best; these are the banner bargains in the February sale, worth from $34.00 to $38.00. Choice in this February sale as long as they last.... $22.95

This Handsome Dresser, in genuine curly birch, best possible construction and finish. Value $45.00. February Sale Price $29.95

Chiffoniere, a perfect match. Value $35.00. $24.69

This High Grade Dresser, in birch mahogany. Would be good value at $29.75. Limited quantities in this February Sale at $19.95

This Handsome Dresser, in curly birch, has swell top drawers, oval French plate mirror, size 28x22, $22 value $15.95

Princess Dresser, mahogany, birdseye maple and ¼ sawed golden oak, base is 42 inches wide, full serpentine shaped — size of French bevel plate mirror is 40x18, value $29.75. February Sale Price $19.95

This and one other Design Solid Golden Oak Dressers—$10 and $11 values. February Sale Price $6.49

Mahogany Parlor Cabinet — 22 inches wide, 60 inches high — full swell front, has French legs—value $39.75. February Sale Price $26.95

Chiffonier, Like Cut, ¼ sawed golden oak, very massive and well constructed, a limited quantity, value $18.75. February Sale Price $11.85

High Grade Sideboards—6 designs in all. 50 and 52-inch bases. Ordinarily these would sell at $65.00 and $75.00. We offer the entire lot, Monday, as long as they last, at $37.49

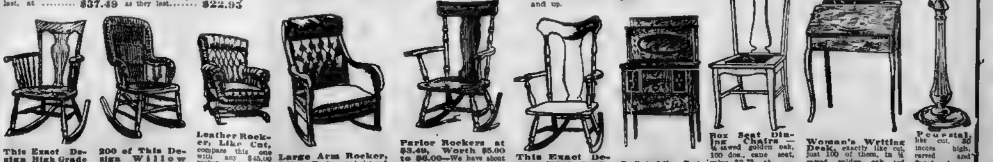
This Handsome High Grade Buffet, 45 inches wide, just 12 of them, could not duplicate same at $35.00. In this February sale as long as they last....... $22.95

This Handsome High Grade Buffet—Regular $32.00 value. February Sale Price $22.49

Buffet in Oak—Early English finish only, value $25. February Sale Price $18.49

Morris Chair Frames, in oak and birch mahogany—massive and well constructed and finished—have carved clawfeet and spring seat, values $6.50 and $7.00. February Sale Price... $4.85 Hair Cushions to fit. $4.00 and up.

This Exact Design 3-Piece Parlor Suit, handsomely upholstered in imported verona velour, value $30.00. February Sale Price $19.95



This Exact Design High Grade Rocker, in oak and birch, mahogany, value $4.50. February Sale Price...$2.95

200 of This Design Willow Rocker, large, comfortable and well finished, value $2.75. Sale Price....$1.98

Leather Rocker, Like Cut, compare this one with any $45.00 rocker, just 12 of them, as long as they last. February Sale Price $26.49

Large Arm Rocker, Like Cut, upholstered in chase leather in very best manner, birch frame, value $17.50. February Sale Price.....$11.85

Parlor Rockers at $3.49, Worth $5.00 to $6.00—We have about 4 designs, 250 in all—bought them at a great discount. Your choice while they last in this February Sale, for........$3.49

This Exact Design High Grade Rocker — Regular $6.75 quality. February Sale Price $3.98

Buffet, Like Cut, in weathered oak, value $19.75. In this February Sale $12.95

Box Seat Dining Chairs — ¼ sawed golden oak, 100 doz., cane seat, value $2.75, at $1.85

100 doz., in genuine leather seat, value $3.50, at...$2.49

Woman's Writing Desk, exactly like cut, just 100 of them, in ¼ sawed golden oak and hand polish, also in birch, would be good value at $10.50. February Sale Price.....$6.95

Pedestal, like cut, 30 inches high, carved and fluted base—top 12x12 in. round. Regular $3.50 value, at $2.29

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BOSTON, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1907.

ARCHBISHOP WILLIAMS' TRIBUTE TO THE LATE BISHOP OF FALL RIVER.

Given Especially, at the Archepiscopal Residence, for the Boston Sunday American.

"He was a great and good man. It is customary to laud the work of a good man after he has departed this life, but my opinion of Bishop Stang and his work is now what it was always. He was an admirable man in himself and a wonderful man in his work. His labors as a curate, and later as a pastor, won commendation from all sides. St. Joseph's Home for Boys in Providence is a monument to his zeal in the cause which received his greatest efforts---the education of boys and young men in a manner certain to hold them to their faith. The Fall River Diocese has been especially blessed under Bishop Stang. All his people loved him. His pastors venerated him. His superiors esteemed him for his goodness and greatness." ---*Most Reverend John J. Williams, D. D., Archbishop of the New England Archdiocese.*

CHURCH BELLS TOLL THE DEATH OF BISHOP STANG OF FALL RIVER

NOTED PRELATE DIES OF SHOCK OF OPERATION

Archbishop Williams May Chant Requiem at Imposing Funeral Wednesday.

MOURNED BY THOUSANDS

Last Photograph Taken in Life of the Late and Bemourned Bishop Stang.

AT LEAST 1,000 priests and prelates from all over the East will pay last honors to the memory of Rt. Rev. William Stang, first bishop of Fall River, who died yesterday after an operation at Rochester, Minn., at the pontifical high mass of requiem to be celebrated Wednesday at 10:30 a. m., in the St. Mary's pro-cathedral at Fall River. Every bishop in New England will be present at the funeral, which will be one of the most impressive ever seen in Massachusetts, and the venerable Archbishop Williams of this city, who has said that he will be present, will in all probability be celebrant at the mass.

Grief in Fall River.

All Fall River—clergy and laymen, Catholic and Protestant—is plunged in grief at the sudden demise of the prelate, who, consecrated as Bishop only three years ago, had endeared himself to all classes of society. The mighty army of Catholics throughout New England is profoundly shocked by his death, and nowhere is the grief more poignant than in Boston, where Bishop Stang was well known not only to clergymen but among business men.

Under escort of Mgr. C. S. Doran of Providence, who accompanied Bishop Stang to Minnesota and was with him at his death, the dead prelate's body left Rochester, Minn., last evening. It will arrive in Chicago at noon to-day, and should be in this city early to-morrow.

Body to Lie in State.

The remains will be met in Fall River later in the day by escorts of honor from all the Catholic societies of the city, who will convey Bishop Stang's body to St. Mary's Pro-Cathedral, where it will lie in state until the hour of the funeral, Wednesday. Relays of delegations from these societies will act as guards of honor during this period.

When the news of Bishop Stang's death reached Fall River, the Rev. Fr. Cassidy, chancellor of the diocese, and the Rev. Hugh Smyth of New Bedford, vicar-general of the diocese, proceeded to this city to consult with Archbishop Williams, regarding the funeral. The latter prelate assured them that he would be present.

Pastor Hastens Home

The Rev. Dr. Christopher Hughes, pastor of the Pro-Cathedral, has been in Charleston, S. C., but on hearing of the Bishop's death he left immediately for home, and will arrive in time for the last rites.

Though it is thought that Archbishop Williams will pontificate the mass, no definite decision has been reached, nor has it been decided who will deliver the funeral sermon.

At the conference here yesterday Archbishop Williams appointed Vicar-General Smyth administrator of the diocese until Bishop Stang's successor is named by Pope Pius X.

The expectation that thousands cannot be accommodated who will wish to attend the funeral of the bishop on Wednesday causes the church officials in Fall River great concern. The Pro-Cathedral seats fully 2,000 people, but it is believed that the visiting clergy will half fill the spacious edifice, which will be heavily draped in mourning. The music will be of as highly impressive character as the ritual.

Societies Take Action.

The various Catholic societies of Fall River took action immediately, in preparation for the reception of the remains and for the funeral, on learning of the prelate's demise. The A. O. H. and Hibernian Rifles, as well as the St. Patrick's Day committee, will assemble this afternoon to perfect arrangements for the escort to the Cathedral and for the funeral.

When the news of Bishop Stang's death was received in Fall River the chimes in St. Mary's Cathedral sounded fifty-three times, once for each year of the dead prelate's life.

Not only was the news of the bishop's death a tremendous shock to the Catholics of the East, but up to the time he left for the operation, his illness was not known, even to many of his closest friends. He had suffered for several weeks with an intestinal trouble, and had consulted with local physicians. Both they and Dr. Richardson, a Boston specialist, told the prelate that he had a tumor, and advised him to undergo an operation by the celebrated Doctor Mayo, of St. Mary's Hospital, Rochestr, Minn.

Kept Visit a Secret.

His departure for Minnesota was kept a secret until the following Sunday, though it was known that he had left Fall River for surgical treatment. On the night of January 15 the bishop was tendered a complimentary banquet by the Knights of Columbus. On this, the very evening before he left for what he knew might be his fatal journey, the prelate's unfailing breadth of mind and jovial nature were exceptionally illustrated.

Discussing both the Moroccan and French church war situation with a profoundness that illustrated his keen grasp of history and events, the Bishop also paid a high tribute to the Knights he addressed, saying that, though he had opposed the formation of the order, believing it like to secret societies to which he was antagonistic, he had been mistaken, and that never had there been found a nobler ally of the Roman Church than the K. of C.

Turning from the serious to the lighter vein, standing in the shadow of his last mortal trip, this intellectual churchman convulsed his audience with a series of witticisms, not once referring to the malady that was sapping his physical life, nor letting his listeners and applauding friends know that he was other than as he appeared—in the prime of life and the best of health.

After the operation on January 21 he rallied, and up to yesterday was believed recovering. When the crisis came yesterday the distinguished patient rapidly until the end.

Advanced In Views.

Independence of thought, wide variety of pronounced opinions, deep learning and broad-minded sympathy were the chief characteristics of the Rt. Rev. William Stang. It is not saying too much when it is declared that he was one of the best beloved clergymen in the Catholic church. Many beautiful and costly gifts were his as the testimonials of the esteem in which he was held.

In the course of his addresses and writings there is hardly a question of importance to the people of a nation on which he has not taken advanced and emphatic views. Marriage, divorce, politics, socialism, education, dancing and dozens of other subjects have been the theme of this versatile man.

Not only in his own church was he valued as a teacher in the great school of spiritual, moral and mental philosophy.

Native of Germany.

Born in the province of Baden Baden, Germany, in 1854, his early education was received in the German gymnasia. His higher course in philosophy, theology and letters was taken at the Catholic seminary in Louvain, Belgium. It was there he was ordained a missionary priest in 1878. The next year he came to the Providence diocese, where he was under Bishop Hendrickson. He was at the SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral until 1884.

Then he became the pastor of St. Anne's Church at Cranston, R. I., where his power of diplomacy soon made him a great favorite. Factions that had existed there were swept from the parish through his influence. When it was learned that he was about to leave there the people joined in signing a petition asking that he be permitted to stay. But it could not be.

Then came a call from his old college at Louvain. He returned to accept the office of vice rector. He remained there three years. But he had not forgotten the work that remained to be done in Providence and he crossed the sea again to America. He went to the SS. Peter and Paul Cathedral, where he remained until he was consecrated as bishop in the diocese of Fall River three years ago.

Lovedby Children.

That he was a favorite of the children was shown before he left his Providence work. He was made the recipient of a pair of solid gold candlesticks. On the handle of each tray is a representation of the bishop's mitre and sheaves of wheat. The open work of the handle is in the form of an anchor, a cross and a torch. On each candlestick is engraved.

"To Right Rev. William Stang, from the children of St. Edward's, Providence, R. I., 1904." The members of the parish gave him a crozier 72 inches high, thickly jeweled with garnets and amethysts. They also gave him a ewer and a basin of romanesque design. Many other very handsome gifts were also given to him.

After his return to America the Bishop was instrumental in founding the Providence apostolate. The purpose of the organization was to do mission work among Catholics and non-Catholics in that diocese. He and his fellow workers of the apostolate did a very important work in the upbuilding of the church in that section of New England.

Bishop of New Diocese.

It was February 22, 1904, that the new diocese of Fall River was created, and the Rev. Dr. Stang was selected as the first bishop. The new diocese covers the four counties of Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes and Nantucket.

The new bishop was welcomed in Fall River by 10,000 people in one of the most notable pageants ever seen there. His last words to his old congregation before he went to his new work were:

"In my appointment as bishop you are honored with me. I trust that the spirit of God will not only fill me with the strength and light of God, but give me what I need now, joy and cheerfulness."

The care of the young was ever his great concern. In one of his earliest letters to be read in the churches of his new district, he had this to say of children:

"How can a Catholic father and mother close their eyes in sleep unless they know that their children have said their prayers and retired for the night.

"Our public thoroughfares," he said, "are frequently polluted by unbecoming and lurid representations and pictorial advertisements, and few of our magistrates seem to have the courage or sense of propriety to prevent this outrage on public decency."

Scored Riotous Weddings.

Riotous conduct following weddings he scored in the following strong language.

"The celebration of holy matrimony is often followed by ribaldry and offensive merriment; the day that should be observed with reverence and serious reflection as an entrance into a sanctified state of life is turned into one of riot and shameless frolic by those who should follow the newly wedded couple with prayers and good wishes."

"Divorce," said the Bishop, "is against the ordinance of God. Its existence or toleration marks national corruption and decline of civilization. Where it has entered into the ideas of popular legislation as something natural and permissible, it has lowered the standard of morality."

Discussing mixed marriages, the great preacher had this to say:

"The church has no blessing for a mixed marriage; the gates of the sacred edifice are closed against it, her consecrated bells are hushed in silence at the sad event. In sorrow and humiliation the priest assists without sacerdotal garb, hoping against hope and praying that the non-Catholic party may find his way on some future day into the true fold of the church.

PRELATES HONOR BISHOP STANG IN TRIBUTES OF LOVE

"Bishop Stang Advices from the West speak sadly!

An awful calamity has come home to the newly formed diocese of Fall River.

It's Bishop is no more.

And because of it, well may it's people weep; aye, even the entire State!

For in the death of Bishop William Stang Massachusetts has lost a noble citizen, the diocese of Fall River a sure guide and father.

In him were united the qualities that make the Bishop humanity, zeal, justice and charity that fail not; while as a writer and author but few could surpass him.

Though brief his career yet his name will live, in the affections of his people, and in the minds and hearts of his clergy who had learned to estimate his worth, and to thank the favoring Providence which gave them Bishop William Stang.—(*Signed*) *RIGHT REV. DENIS O'CALLAGHAN, Pastor of St. Augustine's Church, South Boston.*

ARCHBISHOP O'CONNELL:

"I am profoundly grieved at the news of the death of Bishop Stang. It means a distinct loss to Massachusetts, and a grievous one for the hierarchy of New England, by whom he was so much beloved and esteemed. To me he was one of the great hopes of the future. As a bishop he was sound, forceful, energetic and animated with that spirit of love for people which stamps the true shepherd. While he was a man who loved peace and concord, and stood for them always, he had no patience with those who confounded a silent and indifferent attitude towards public events with that real peace which often only comes by a fearless championing of the truth. In his brief term of office as bishop he has done a great work. The first bishop of Fall River was a distinguished prelate who cannot soon be forgotten."

RIGHT REV. THOMAS D. BEAVEN, of Springfield, Bishop of the Springfield diocese:

"The church of New England mourns with a keen sense of loss the death of Bishop Stang, and the entire American hierarchy grieve over the departure of an eminent and capable member.

"There was never a more devoted churchman, never a more ardent lover of American liberty and liberality. We revere his worth, we love his memory, we are saddened by his death."

REV. GEORGE A. GUERTIN, pastor of St. Anthony's Church, Manchester, N. H., and bishop-elect of the diocese of Manchester:

"I am greatly grieved to hear of the death of Bishop Stang. He was a man who possessed all those qualities most desired in one who occupied his eminent position. The Catholic church has suffered a loss too great to be estimated at this time."

EPIGRAMS OF BISHOP STANG

DIVORCE is against the ordinance of God. Its existence or toleration marks national corruption and decline of civilization.

The Church has no blessing for a mixed marriage; the gates of the sacred edifice are closed against it; her consecrated bells are hushed in silence at the sad event.

It is only the modern woman with her superficial culture who cares for other joys than those of the home. The true Christian women, whom we reverence as guardian angels, will still remain as God made them—women.

To believe in public ownership is not to side with the Socialists.

Our working people should boycott their worst enemies—the saloon, the gambling place, the low theatre, dime novels, socialistic literature and profanity of speech.

FIRES REVOLVER BULLET IN MOUTH OF BOY PLAYMATE

'DIDN'T KNOW IT WAS LOADED,' FRIEND SHOT

Wounded Lad Now in Relief Hospital, but Is Expected to Recover.

SISTER SAW HIM FALL

WITH his thirteen-year-old chum weeping hysterically at his home, believing that he has killed his playmate, bright little Frank Magnanelli, twelve years of age, lies at the Relief Hospital with a bullet hole in his mouth as the result of a "didn't-know-it-was-loaded" tragedy. The happy feature of the accident is that Frank will recover.

The boy victim of the shooting lives at No. 2 Garden court, North End. He and the lad who shot him, Frank Rotunda of No. 22 Fleet street, are warm friends. The story as told by Camilla Magnanelli, the eight-year-old sister of the wounded lad, who saw the shooting is:

"My brother was given a job by a lady to clear away the ice in front of her house. Frank Rotunda came along, with a small pistol in his hand. He was just pointing it, and I didn't think there was anything in it, but it went off suddenly with, oh, lots of smoke.

"My brother fell down on the ice and blood ran right down out of his mouth. I was awfully scared, and I cried. A lot of people came up and someone called my father. And he took the Rotunda boy to the station house, too. And all the people asked Frank why he did it. He said Merrico Fuccillo, another boy who lives across the street, gave him the pistol and he didn't know it was loaded."

Young Rotunda was held at Station 1 until the doctors at the Relief Hospital pronounced his chum out of danger.

Boy shot by playmate who "didn't know pistol was loaded."

BIG WHISKERS OF BOER WAR VINTAGE LOST

Veteran Who Hadn't Had Shave or Hair Cut Since, Has Their Mutilator Arrested

Manchester, N. H., Feb. 2.—Shorn of his locks, and a luxuriant growth of whiskers, which he had allowed to grow since the close of the Boer war, Charles F. Latouche, of Abbott street, West Manchester, better known as the "human chrysanthemum," has applied to the courts to see whether or not he has the right to wear his hair in the manner which suits him. Incidentally he is seeking vengeance upon Alfred Lapalme, a buyer employed by Cavanaugh Brothers, horse dealers, who is now under arrest charged with assault upon Latouche.

At the close of the Boer war Latouche vowed that he would neither cut his hair nor whiskers until the territory captured by the English should be returned to the Boers. Consequently he has been the butt of jokes of almost the entire population of West Manchester and has earned the title of the "Human Chrysanthemum." Thursday night he came to Cavanaugh's stable and the crowd gathered there began to guy him. Finally some one touched a match to his flowing locks and for the next few minutes his actions are described as closely resembling a pin wheel on a Fourth of July.

During the excitement, Latouche was seized, and while several men sat on his chest, Lapalme, seizing a pair of horse clippers, clipped his hair close to his scalp. Latouche was enraged, and when finally released, rushed to the police, vowing vengeance. As a result Lapalme was arrested to-day.

CATCH TWO TICKET SPECULATORS BUSY

As a result of the recent crusade against ticket speculators, which was started about a month ago, two arrests were made yesterday by Sergeant Bowley of the Lagrange street station. John Green of No. 34 Davis street, South End, and Paul Rich of No. 14 Dwight street, South End, were arrested this afternoon in front of the Boston Theatre.

ROOSEVELT CATERS TO JAPAN.

Plans Mutual Exclusion Clause in a Treaty Codicil with the Mikado.

OFFICIALS RIDICULE POSSIBILITY OF WAR

Metcalf Allows $1,000,000 for Repairs, However, on Battleship Oregon.

TAFT URGES LARGER ARMY ALLOWANCES

Frisco School Board Firm in Determination to Exclude Japanese.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—President Roosevelt is urging newspaper correspondents to do all in their power to minimize the talk of a probable war between the United States and Japan. He expresses the utmost confidence in his ability to bring the San Francisco school authorities to his way of thinking. He, therefore, feels no hesitation in asking the correspondents to deny that the situation is serious or acute.

He expressed his positive belief that when the San Francisco authorities take up the question with him he will have no serious trouble in securing the withdrawal of the order barring Japanese pupils from the public schools of their city.

Issuance of Imperial Edict.

The President's plan for a final settlement of the coolie labor problem, in which it is said the Japanese Ambassador heartily concurs, involves the issuance of an imperial edict. The edict will forbid Japanese subjects leaving the Empire for the United States. It may appeal to the patriotism of the Japanese in declaring that their services are more necessary to the prosperity of the government at home and in Corea and Manchuria.

The proposed codicil to the existing commercial treaty will deal entirely with the exclusion of Japanese coolies from this country and the barring of American workmen from Japan. The remainder of the treaty will be left undisturbed.

Legislation Too Slow.

The President does not believe anything can be accomplished by legislation looking to Japanese exclusion. He thinks a long period of time would be required for the passage of a bill through Congress. He also believes that it would be attended by the delivery of so many inflammatory speeches as to render this course dangerous.

The concerted denials from all administration officials that absolutely nothing is being done looking to preparation for war were rather belittled this afternoon when Secretary Metcalf, himself a citizen of California, issued an order allowing $1,000,000 for the immediate prosecution of repairs to the battleship Oregon, now lying at the Puget Sound navy yard. This allowance of $1,000,000 is intended to put this famous battleship, which was the historic figure in the Spanish-American war, in strictly first-class condition.

Frisco Board Firm.

Upon the final answer of the San Francisco school authorities, in a great degree hinges the probability of an open rupture between the United States and Japan. The President is nowise disconcerted over the report from the Pacific Coast that the school board officials have pledged themselves to remain firm and not consent to the obnoxious order being either suspended or rescinded.

The greatest encouragement is derived from the attitude of the California delegation in Congress, which to a man, several months ago denounced the President's attitude on the Japanese question. In the face of an overwhelming popular sentiment at home, and at the risk of possible political effacement in the future, they have united to exert all their influence upon the school board and bring the members to the position now occupied by President Roosevelt.

The conference between the President and the board of education of San Francisco cannot be held before Friday or Saturday.

LONG DISTANCE Races to Have the Call at Ormond.

SMOKE TALK and Fun at the Bay State A. A.

PLANS for the Big Automobile Show at Boston.

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MISSOURI LAD Wins Feature at New Orleans.

ENTRY LIST for Boston Dog Show Breaks Record.

HARVARD MEN Gloomy Over Outlook in Sports.

BALL CLUBS FIX UP PLANS FOR THE SPRING PRACTICE.

Boston National Players Will Report at Indianapolis on March 8.

FOUR UNIFORMS FOR TENNEY'S MEN

McBreen of the Boston Americans to Visit Freddy Parent in a Few Days.

President Dovey of the Boston National team says that the training place at Thomasville, Ga., has been definitely settled upon. Manager Tenney has written to all the players to report March 8 at Indianapolis, and a few days will be put in at French Lick Springs.

There were a few callers at the National headquarters yesterday, among them Billy Hamilton, the one-time popular Hub favorite, and Ground Keeper John Haggerty, who told the owner that he had been working on the grounds since December 1 and had installed the required number of lockers in the visiting players' dressing room, besides doing a lot of work on the fences.

Word was received from Johnny Bates and Tom Needham, giving their measurements for the new set of four uniforms which each member of the club will wear this season. The colors have not been decided upon and the contracts not awarded for the togs, but Manager Tenney expects to put them through in a few days.

Bates Will Be on Deck.

While Bates has not forwarded his contract, the fact that he has sent his specifications for the suits is a guarantee that he will line-up in time [illegible]

The Boston Nationals will stop at the best hotels on the circuit this season, as President Dovey is busy communicating with the hostelrys around the circuit and has closed at all places but New York, Chicago and Cincinnati and will locate all the stopping places in a few days.

It looks as if the Boston magnate intends competing with Barney Dreyfus in the matter of having his team travel in the best style, as he is leaving nothing undone that will make the Hub team a feature in the league this coming season.

With Secretary Hugh McBreen back at his desk, there ought to be something doing at the American baseball headquarters this week.

McBreen to See Parent.

If the weather conditions allow, he will start on a trip to Maine on Tuesday to interview Freddy Parent and Carrigan, the catcher, and find out what the delay is over sending in their contracts.

Hugh Duffy found time to stop in and see McBreen relative to any players that might be lying around loose that he could snap up for his Providence team.

A letter was received from an [illegible] player named Richard Yates, who claims that he was a student at the University of Chicago last year and played first base. He is a big fellow weighing 180 pounds and standing six feet. He says that he is confident that he could make good with the BOSTON AMERICANS if the club would make satisfactory terms with him.

To Fix Up Rogers Avenue.

McBreen made a call on Street Commissioner Jimmy Gallivan relative to fixing up Rogers avenue, which is the direct route to the grounds from Roxbury Crossing.

Said McBreen, "There are thousands of fans who come from Tremont street way, via Rogers avenue, and it is in very poor condition. If the city does not see fit to fix it up we will take hold and have a surface put on the street which will make a good thoroughfare for the ball patrons."

ROUGH SOCCER GAME BREAKS UP IN A ROW.

Referee Awards Game to Howard and Bullough Team at Pawtucket.

Special to the Boston American.

Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 2.—On a field filled with slush and mud the Howard and Bulloughs and Gorhams met at soccer football here this afternoon and played a rough and exciting game. The Howard and Bulloughs had the better of the argument from the start, and the Gorhams, finding it difficult to make good against the players, vented their anger on the referee.

That official, after putting up with insults as long as he could, finally ordered Slide out of the game. The Providence players—many of whom were quite as guilty as Slide—resented the referee's action and refused to abide by his decision. They failed to start the game again at the expiration of the time allowed and Referee Campbell awarded the contest to the locals, with fifteen minutes to play.

The Gorham forwards worked fast, considering the condition of the field, but could make no headway against O'Toole and Donnelly, who were a stone wall defense. The summary:

HOWARD & BULLOUGH.	GORHAMS.
Adams, g.	g., Walkden
Towe, f.b.	f.b., Southworth
Donnelly, f.b.	f.b., Mercer
Brown, h.b.	h.b., R. Southworth
[illegible], h.b.	h.b., Slate
Malcolm, h.b.	h.b., Ayers
McDonald, r.w.	r.w., Brennan
Smith, r.w.	r.w., Knight
[illegible], c.	c., Pemberton
Kelly, l.w.	l.w., Adams
[illegible], l.w.	l.w., E. Pemberton

Score—Howard & Bullough 1, Gorhams 1. Goals scored by [illegible] Fletcher 2. [illegible] Referee—Campbell. Linesmen—[illegible] and Connor. Time—40 minute periods.

CAMPAU'S GRIP CLIPPED BY THE GRAND CIRCUIT.

Detroit Turfman May Now Withdraw and Run Independent Meeting.

HAD THINGS HIS OWN WAY IN THE PAST

Change in By-laws Robs Him of His Power to Sidetrack Motions.

There is a probability that Daniel J. Campau will withdraw his Detroit track from the Grand Circuit and run an independent meeting in July when he notes the new set of by-laws just passed by the committee appointed for that purpose, as in many ways have his wings been clipped of the authority which made him supreme dictator of the circuit in years past.

At the annual stewards' meeting of the Grand Circuit in New York last month the old organization was practically disbanded, and the racing associations decided that to continue as a body new by-laws were necessary. For this purpose a committee, comprised of C. M. Jewett of the New England Breeders' Association, Horatio N. Bain of Poughkeepsie and Albert H. Moone of Providence, was appointed to report on January 30.

Campau Set Aside.

In the election of officials for the new Grand Circuit, Mr. Campau was set aside from his long-continued office of president and John M. Johnson selected to fill the vacancy. It was given out to the public at that time that Mr. Campau had declined the presidency another year.

However, when the committee met at the Nelson House in Poughkeepsie and recorded the new by-laws, it is easily to be seen that Mr. Campau is a "dead one" so far as his further personal dictatorship of the circuit is concerned. One of his pet by-laws in the old circuit was that all measures must be passed by the stewards unanimously to become operative. In this way whenever he disliked anything favorable to the other tracks his one vote was always there to sidetrack the motion.

This by-law was abandoned, left out in the cold, and in its place the allotting of circuit dates, admitting of new tracks, selecting of starting and presiding judges, etc., can be carried by a two-thirds vote, while ordinary business will be accomplished by a majority vote of the stewards. In this one case alone has Mr. Campau been left out in the cold. Another season, if it is the wish of the stewards to admit Windsor with the week ahead of the present opening of the circuit at Detroit, which move Mr. Campau has blocked for so long, a two-thirds vote will carry the Canadian city into the fold of the Grand Circuit.

Having met defeat on all sides it is now said by some interested parties that Mr. Campau will show his vengeance by withdrawing from the body and going it alone. Judging by the methods in which the circuit has been managed in the past few years such a move on the part of the Detroit magnate would prove of little loss to the remaining tracks.

Plenty of Tracks.

With Detroit out there are several tracks in the Middle West that are clamoring for admission to the Grand Circuit. This forbids of the circuit ever being short handed in its quota of tracks to fill up all the year's dates.

As the Grand Circuit is incorporated under the laws of Michigan, the new by-laws adopted have been sent there to be recorded. It was at first thought to incorporate under the New York State law, but it was found that by so doing the name of "Grand Circuit" would be defaulted, and could be taken up by Mr. Campau for an opposition circuit, hence the reason for remaining under the old charter. Another point was the saving of about $700 to the circuit which would have to be paid for new corporation papers in New York.

FUN ON THE SNOW FOR MATINEE HORSEMEN.

Concord and Manchester Driving Clubs Promise Great Sport This Week.

This week there will be three days of fun on the snow in New Hampshire for the owners of matinee horses. Wednesday and Thursday the Concord Driving Club hang up suitable prizes for the winners over their speedway, which is as good as there is in New England, while on Saturday the Manchester Driving Club will have the boys with them for racing over the ice on the Merrimac river.

Among the prizes offered at Manchester is the free-for-all, open to the world, Ginger Harrison Wilkes Cup, and the Elliot Cup for local horses only. The events are best three in five, quarter-mile heats, any style hitch. Entries are free, and with it goes stabling, hay, grain and straw for nothing.

The Concord and Manchester Driving Club members are in it for what fun there is, and earnestly desire all looking for that kind of a time to send in their entries.

W. A. Nutter is the secretary of the Concord Club, while John N. Pearsons fills the same position for the Manchester Club. Entries close with the former, to-morrow, and at Manchester on Thursday.

THOMAS ON THE WAY TO QUAKERTOWN FOR MATCHES.

Hopes to Induce Honey Mellody to Meet Him in Six-Round Bout.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—California's crack middleweight, Joe Thomas, accompanied by his manager, Harry Foley, and a crack little coast bantam, Tommy West, is in the city to-day on his way to Philadelphia where the husky San Franciscan fighter expects to take on a number of men in his class in the limited round bouts that are so popular in the Quaker City.

"I am going East hoping to get Honey Mellody to give me a match," said Thomas to-day. "Failing to get on with Mellody I want a chance at [illegible] or any of the other boys in the class. I am also out to fight Tommy Ryan if he wins from Dave Barry Tuesday night." Thomas announces that he is open to meet any of the middleweights and he has challenged Jack O'Brien to meet him at 154 pounds ringside. "I will take him at his weight and make 154 pounds for him, although I can do 145 pounds just as easily.

Won't Give Away Weight.

"I want to fight Hugo Kelly, but I can't give any weight to Kelly, as he asks me to. If Hugo will make 154 pounds, I'll fight him and give him a side bet that will make it worth his while. I cannot see my way to let Hugo come at 158 pounds ringside, which is the weight he asked me to make.

Coffroth is confident the bill will be shaky just now, and I am taking a chance. Hartman's bill is spite work. He is one of the men who impose on fight promoters. The whole trouble came over a fight card staged by Morris Levy. Hartman sent for five tickets and got them; then he sent for five more and got them. The night of the fight he applied at the door for complimentary tickets for himself and friends, and they were lined up a dozen and a half strong. The fight managers objected, and Morris Levy refused to be held up. Mr. Hartman and his friends didn't see the fights. Hartman left in a rage and threatened revenge. This is the result.

Nevada Club Quiet.

"Croffoth is confident the bill will be repealed, but the other fight authorities are not so hopeful.

"The Nevada fight clubs seem to be pretty quiet of late and there are plenty of rumors around San Francisco that the carnival billed for St. Patrick's Day at Tonopah will fall through."

Thomas says he has not increased as much in size as is claimed he has, and that he can do 145 pounds easily. He looks to be in perfect condition.

YALE'S BASKETBALL TEAM WINS EASY VICTORY.

Newton Y. M. C. A. Team No Match for the Elis, Losing 40 to 13.

The Yale basketball team made a runaway match with the Newton Y. M. C. A. team in the latter's gymnasium last night at Newton, winning by a score of 40 to 13.

The home team appeared to be troubled with stage fright, being up against the collegians and put up a poor front in the first part of the contest, and the packed hall saw the Elis pile up the score, ending the first half with 18 points to Newton's 5.

After the Newton team got into the game, there was plenty of rough playing, and Van Vleck of Yale was particularly offensive in this respect.

A. Wilson, of the Newton team, played the star game, excelling all in individual work, but Yale's superior team play was the principal cause of Newton's downfall. The men played together like clockwork, and was much better than the losers.

Kinney and Van Vleck played the best game for Yale, while Goggin and Wilson were always prominent on Newton. The summary.

YALE.	NEWTON Y. M. C. A.
Kinney, r. f.	l. b., Jacobs, Porter
Clifford, l. f.	r. b., G. Wilson, Porter
Van Vleck, c.	c., Zeigler
Cushman, r. b.	l. f., Goggin
Noyes, l. b.	r. f., A. Wilson

Goals from floor—Kinney, 9; Van Vleck, 6, Clifford 3, Noyes, A. Wilson, Zeigler, Porter. Goals from fouls—Kinney 2, A. Wilson. Referee—Atcheson. Timers—Carpenter and Banks. Scorer—Miss Harris. Time 20 minute halves.

RYAN BEATS MANUEL IN POOL TOURNEY

In a well-contested game in the New England pool championship series at Miah Murray's headquarters last night, Jimmy Ryan beat Harry Manuel by the score of 125 to 107. Ryan played the more brilliant game, but Manuel kept plugging away and pulled down Ryan's big lead by steady playing.

The standing up to date is: McCune, won 4, lost 0; Ryan, 4—0; Roxbury Kid, 3—0; English Tom, 3—0; Manuel, 1—4; Italian Tony, 1—4; Marsh, 1—5; Gordan, 1—5.

Some exciting games will be on the schedule this week, as the leaders will meet in several of the matches.

FOOTBALL GIANTS WRESTLE AT YALE

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 2.—Yale's wrestling championship matches were held to-day, the football giant guards, Parks and Goebel, meeting in the heavyweight class for the most spectacular struggle of the day. The results:

115 pounds—F. Cellar, '09, defeated B. M. Sweeney, Jr., '10.

125 pounds—G. Dole, graduate, defeated W. Hale, '08.

133 pounds—L. Dole, graduate, defeated H. Rich, '07.

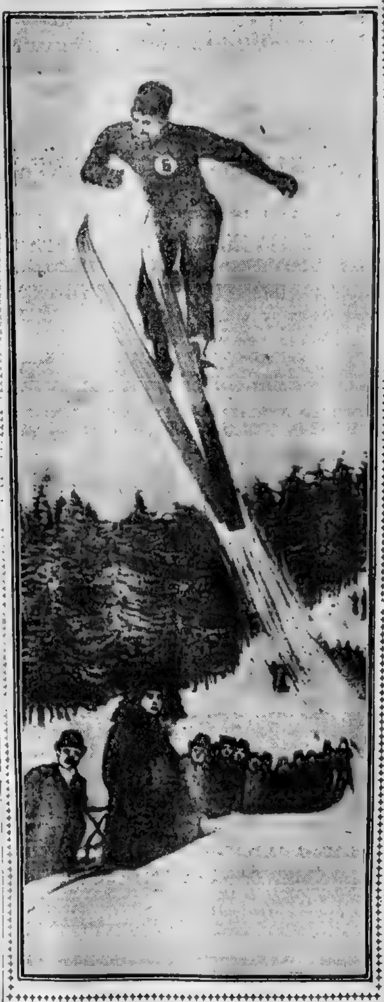
145 pounds—D. Clarke, '09, defeated F. Hamilton, '08.

158 pounds—C. P. Parker, '09, L. S., defeated A. O. Schram, '08, L. S.

175 pounds—L. K. Kelley, '09, defeated J. S. Roberts, '10.

200 pounds—W. Goebel, '10, defeated L. S. Parks, '09.

BOSTON TAKES UP THE FASCINATING BUT DANGEROUS SPORT OF SKI JUMPING



MAKING A RECORD AT SKI JUMPING.

In the West It Is Very Popular, Recent Records Having Been Made.

PHYSICIANS ON HAND WHEN NORWAY TRIES IT

Local followers of Winter sport are going in for ski jumping now that there is an abundance of snow, a necessary requisite for the game. Like snowshoeing it is a fine Winter pastime and the dealers in the Hub state that there is a steady increase in the call for skis by the members of the clubs which promote Winter games.

The Brae Burn Country and Appalachian Club members are providing themselves with the long, flat skis.

Any Sunday one can find a big crowd of descendants of Norway and Sweden on the slopes of Franklin Field indulging in the sport with the same zest that they did in their own country.

The exciting part of the sport is ski jumping, and in tournaments in the West some remarkable performances have been made by individuals.

Jumped 114 Feet.

Out in Minnesota, Ole Langseth broke the American mark by going through space for 114 feet. Just a few days before Ole Fierings at Duluth did 112 feet, which also broke the best American record and was thought to be unbeatable. As Langseth made two other jumps of 110 and 112 feet his record of the day has not been excelled by ski jumpers in this country.

Another contestant equalled 114 feet, but as he fell the performance was not put on record.

Ski jumping is one of the most spectacular of sports. It is also a daring feat, and for a person to compete in a ski jumping contest he must not only be possessed of great suppleness but must also have an abundance of courage, for without either it would be as dangerous as is high diving.

A Norwegian Sport.

Ski jumping is a Norwegian sport. The skis are about a yard long, slightly turned up in the front. They are made of wood and are fastened to the wearer's shoes and resemble the runners of a sled.

In a competition the contestants start down a steep hill at full speed. In the middle of the hill a projecting ledge of snow is formed, the upper part of which has less slope than the hill itself. In fact at its edge it is almost horizontal. From there there is a sudden drop of about ten feet, beyond which the hill continues at a steep angle for about a quarter of a mile. It is taking this drop that is most dangerous.

Shoots Up Fifty Feet.

When a competitor leaves this ledge he shoots up in the air to a height of nearly fifty feet, from which he descends like a meteor. Should he not land squarely on his skis, a serious accident is the probable result.

At all places where ski jumping meets are held physicians are in attendance. In Norway all contestants must be more than twenty-six years old, and before any one is allowed to compete he must be examined by a physician, who will pass upon the competitor's temperament. Should the entrant show the least signs of nervousness his entry is refused.

YALE HOCKEY TEAM MEETS POOR ICE

No Game with the Brae-Burns, but Elis Are Dined by Mr. Elder.

The hockey game scheduled at the Brae-Burn Country Club yesterday between Yale and the Brae-Burn team was called off on account of the soft condition of the ice.

The two teams may get a chance to cross sticks before the Blue team leaves for New Haven.

The Yale team was entertained by a banquet at the Union Club by Samuel Elder last night.

Owing to bad ice, the hockey game which was scheduled to take place between the Harvard varsity and freshmen team at Soldiers Field yesterday afternoon was also cancelled.

PAPKE IS COMING BOXER.

Bill Papke, the Spring Valley (Ill.) miner, who has attracted considerable attention among the middleweights by winning all his recent battles, is matched to meet Carl Anderson of Hammond, Ind., at Spring Valley, Ill., February 14. The weight is to be 152 pounds at 3 o'clock. Anderson will train in Milwaukee with Charley Neary. Papke defeated Dick Fitzpatrick of Chicago at Peoria, Ill., Tuesday night

GOOD PURSES AT DENVER.

Denver will be another great city for fistic battles in the future if they do not kill the sport. The largest crowd that ever witnessed a boxing bout in that city was [illegible] at the contest between Harry Lewis of Philadelphia, and "Rube" Smith of Denver last week. The gross receipts of [illegible] amounted to $5,737. Lewis for [illegible] $1,772.10 and Smith received [illegible]

COAKLEY COACHES PENN

It came out from Pennsylvania yesterday afternoon that Andrew J. Coakley has been engaged to coach the Penn pitchers, and will start in at once.

ENGLISH HEAVIES TO BOX.

A dispatch from London says "Gunner" Moir has been matched to meet "Tiger" Smith for the heavyweight championship of England. The fight is to be twenty rounds before the National Sporting Club of London and is for a purse of $1,750 and a side bet of $2,500. It will take place February 25.

WILL TRAIN ATHLETICS.

Umpire John E. Rudderham of Randolph, Mass., has been appointed trainer of the Philadelphia National League Club, and has received a letter from Manager Murray of that club telling him to be on hand without fail when the club departs for the South the last week in February.

HARVARD LOOKS TO HER CREW FOR ONLY HOPE.

Crimson Students Are Gloomy Over Other Branches of Athletics.

NO FREE TICKETS FOR UNDERGRADUATES

Four Races Have Been Arranged Thus Far for the Eight This Season.

That the policy of the Harvard Athletic Committee is not to advocate free sports for undergraduates, as reported, was made clear yesterday by a member of the committee. He said:

"We are not even considering the question of cutting the gate. When the athletic situation is straightened out without doubt the present policy of admission fees will be retained. There are no grave abuses in the present system nor are there any complaints on the part of the students that ought to be remedied. The abuses in athletics now under investigation lie deeper than this."

Gloom at Harvard.

The deep slough of despondency into which Harvard athletics have sunk was emphasized by the defeat of the varsity basketball team by Yale Friday night. The gloom which prevails among Harvard athletes and students will be understood when it is remembered that to the defeat in football by Yale and the general placing under the ban and the close investigation of all sports by a special investigation committee of the Harvard Athletic Committee, have been added the loss of the championship by the varsity hockey team for five years a pennant bearer. Then there is the failure to choose a baseball coach, the delay in baseball and track training, and the poor prospects in the latter sports.

Practically the only sport to which the students and athletes look with any degree of hope is rowing. Owing to its additional training in England last Summer the Harvard crew is now without doubt the finest that the college has ever seen at this time of year. There is so little apparent difference between the Harvard crew and the probable Cornell crew this year that the race between them may turn entirely on luck or the style of shell used.

It is well known that Cornell possesses an advantage over Harvard in the manner of rigging her shell, but the Crimson oarsmen this year believe they have learned more tricks in England than Cornell can teach them.

Figuring on English Shells.

This knowledge Harvard will take advantage of as is proved by the fact that the rowing coach and the varsity captain have recently been looking over plans for two new shells built on the Henley style. The influence of ex-Captain Filley has had much to do with bringing about this change in Harvard's rowing policy.

The crew is now assured of at least four races. The first race will take place with the Argonaut Club eight of Toronto, Canada, about May 1 on the Charles. This is the first time the Canadians have raced against any American college crew. The second race will be with Cornell at Cayuga Lake about May 30, the third race with Columbia on the Charles about June 15, and the fourth race with Yale at New Haven about June 25.

"IRON MAN" WILL PITCH NO MORE.

McGinnity to Quit Baseball and Take Up the Business of His Father.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—"Iron Man" Joe McGinnity will pitch no more for the Giants. He has quit baseball for good. Reports from McAlester, Indian Territory, where McGinnity lives, have it that the "Iron Man" recently lost his father, and that he now will take up the management of the business which the elder McGinnity had built up into a very large enterprise.

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J. M. JOHNSON THE VERY BUSIEST OF HORSEMEN

He Has More Irons in the Fire Than Any Other Turfman in New England.

THRICE MAYOR OF CALAIS, NOW IN LEGISLATURE

Director in Many Corporations, He Finds Time for the Horses.

BY EDWARD E. COGSWELL.

Without a question, had the person who wrote the few lines about the busy bee seen John M. Johnson before he penned them, he would have realized how the latter had his bee yarn faded, and maybe have fixed up another dope or gone way back and sat down.

It took the writer just two weeks of hard labor to get hold of Mr. Johnson long enough to talk with him ten minutes. It wasn't a steady ten minutes, either, as we were interrupted several times by outsiders butting in with business questions, while Mr. Johnson was on a fidget for fear he might miss a directors' meeting.

Here are a few official matters of importance that occupy his mind in the business and sporting world: President of the St. John, N. B., Milling Company; directors of the Calais, Me., National Bank; director in the Frontier Steamboat Company; treasurer of the Robinston Land Company; treasurer and manager of the Calais, Me., Tanning Company; director in the Gold King and Gold Prince Mining Company of Colorado; one of the firm of H. C. Grant & Company, of Boston; is the J. M. Johnson, dealer in wool, St. John, N. B., with branch offices in other prominent cities in this country and abroad; president of the New England Trotting Horse Breeders' Association; president of the Maine Breeders' Association; member of the Board of Review of the National Trotting Association; president of the Grand Circuit; director in the American Trotting Horse Breeders' Association of America, and a member of the Boston and Metropolitan Driving Clubs.

In Politics, Too.

Now that is going something for one man, yet in the meantime he has political care to keep him from loafing. These were thrust upon him by his neighbors in Calais, Me., he representing them in the State Legislature, where he has been appointed house chairman of the Railroad Committee. Besides he has the noted trotting horse breeding establishment in Ponkapong, Mass., formerly the property of the late J. Malcolm Forbes, on which is some of the most famous horses in the world.

In the fifty-two years of his life Mr. Johnson has accumulated all that he now represents and owns with absolutely nothing to begin with except the rugged constitution he inherited from his parents.

"Every dollar I ever had I was obliged to earn for myself," he said in referring to his career.

"When I went to Calais I was obliged to walk all of the way from McAdam Junction, not having the money to ride. I had come from Malone, N. Y., where for the year previous I worked for my board and schooling in the Winter. This job was taking care of three horses, three cows and cutting cordwood." He was then sixteen years old.

Thrice Mayor of Calais

"How did I get into politics? Well, you see, the city of Calais had gone Democratic for a couple of years or so and the backers of the Republican party there rather guessed I might pull them out of the hole. Finally they persuaded me to run for Mayor. I won, and twice more was I a candidate for the position with equal success. Last Fall the Democrats had again become strong, and the Republicans put me up for Representative to the Legislature, and there you are."

It is a wonderful thing for one to be able to hold lifelong friendship. This is Mr. Johnson's long suit. Sincerity and honesty are two great points that work overtime.

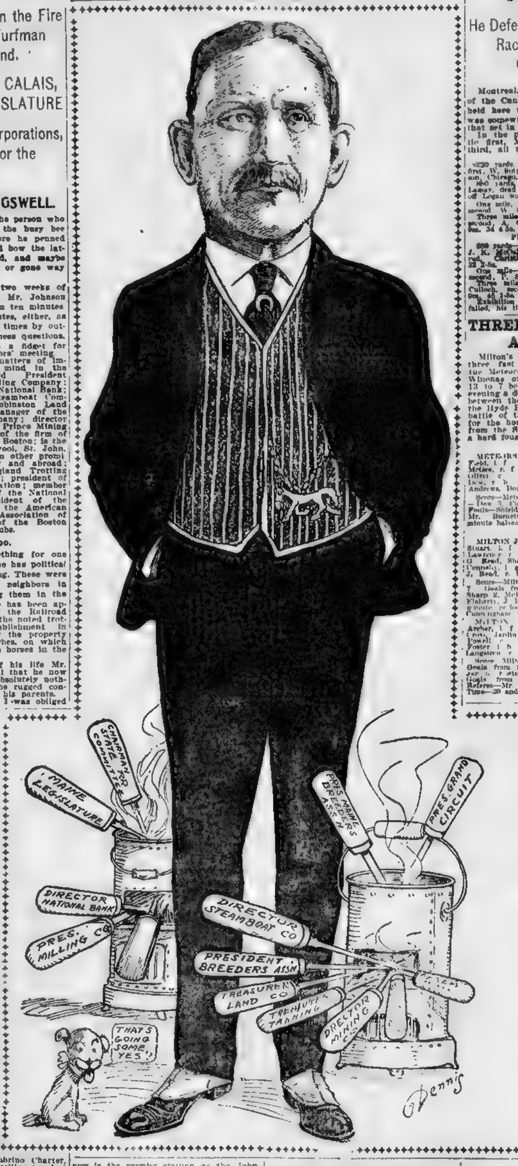
When he was eighteen years old he bought his first colt. It took about every cent he possessed, but he was happy. Then came the unfortunate, as the colt got kicked and had to be killed. This only made him grit his teeth and save up for another horse. The next time it was a brood mare by Mambrino Charter, which he bred to Olympus, selling the foal at three years for $700 to go West, where he trotted in 2:21.

His first real trotter was Lady Sim, 2:31½, which he raced and got the Maritime record for mares. Later he got the pacer Ituna, 2:10, and she, too, got the Maritime record for pacing mares. By and by he heard of a young stallion at the Allen Farm named Kwanon, and bought him. After getting a record of 2:12½ he sold him to George Van Dyke, of Boston, for $3,500.

In 1898 J. Malcolm Forbes held a sale at his farm. Mr. Johnson was present and purchased the brood mare Fannella, 2:13, at the time carrying Sadie Mac. When the latter was a yearling he sold her for $4,000. Her career on the turf is too prominent to need mention, but when she dropped dead at Hartford she carried a record of 2:06¼. Todd, 2:14¾, he bred and sold when two years old for $4,000, but after he had stood a season in Kentucky he bought him back, and he now is the premier stallion at the Johnson farm.

He was one of the syndicate to buy Cochato for $10,000 last Spring and the colt turned out a futurity winner, getting a record of 2:11½, and won in purses close to the sum paid for him. One of the brood mares on his Ponkapoag farm is the ex-trotting queen, Nancy Hanks, 2:04. Admiral Dewey, 2:04¾, Lord Roberts, 2:07¼, etc., have already made her famous in the harem. She is now in foal to Todd.

From the very inception of his connection with the trotters it has been his object to breed better than has anybody else. The choicest blood in existence is none too good according to his way of thinking. It is for this reason that he has sent his mares to the prominent stallions in different parts of the country. And it is the produce of these mares from such mating that has made, and will continue to, the name of the Johnson Farm world wide.



J. M. Johnson, the Noted Horseman, and Some of the Irons He Has in the Fire

BAPTIE CAPTURES SKATING HONORS

He Defeats McCulloch in Every Race in the Canadian Championships.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—The [illegible] of the Canadian Skating Association were held here this afternoon on a track that was somewhat soft and sticky from a thaw that set in this morning.

In the professional events it was Baptie first, McCulloch second and Sinnirud third, all the way through. Summary:

AMATEUR EVENTS.

220 yards, final heat—F. Logan, Verona Lake, first; W. Sutphen, Verona Lake, second; [illegible] Anderson, Chicago, third. Time—[illegible]

880 yards, final heat—[illegible] Lamay, dead heat. Time—1m. [illegible] off Logan won.

One mile, final heat—E. Lamay, first; A. Aird, second; W. Sutphen, third. Time—[illegible]

Three miles—A. Logan, first; H. M. [illegible], second; A. C. Brown, Montreal, third. Time—9m. 34 4-5s.

PROFESSIONAL EVENTS.

880 yards—Norval Baptie, Bathgate, N. D., first; J. K. McCulloch, Winnipeg, second; Peter Sinnirud, Christiana, Norway, third. Time—1m. 23 2-5s.

One mile—N. Baptie, first; J. K. McCulloch, second; P. Sinnirud, third. Time—3m. 1 4-5s.

Three miles—Norval Baptie, first; J. K. McCulloch, second; P. Sinnirud, third. Time—9m. 40 1-5s.

Exhibition, 880 yards against record. Baptie failed, his time being 1m. 20 4-5s.

THREE FAST GAMES AT MILTON'S GYM

Milton's gymnasium was the scene of three fast basket ball games yesterday, the Meteors of this vicinity defeating the Winonas of Dorchester in the afternoon 13 to 7 before 200 spectators, and in the evening a double header being the attraction between the Milton Juniors, winners over the Hyde Park Y. M. C. A., and the star battle of the day proving another victory for the home team, Milton's five winning from the St. Stephen's A. A. 25 to 12 in a hard fought conflict. The summary:

Afternoon.

METEORS.		WINONAS.
Field, l. f.		[illegible]
McGee, r. f.		[illegible]
Gilbert, c.		[illegible]
Dow, r. b.		l. b., Dowell
Andrews, Donovan, l. b.		r. b., Mountain

Score—Meteors 13, Winonas 7. Goals from field—Dow 3, Fields 2, McGee, Caldwell 3, [illegible] 2. Fouls—Shields, McGee, Dow, Caldwell. Referee—Mr. Burnett. Timer—Cunningham. Time—15 minute halves.

Evening.

MILTON JRS.		HYDE PARK Y. M. C. A.
Stuart, l. f.		r. b., Richmond
Lawrence, r. f.		[illegible]
O'Connell, Read, Sharp, c.		c., Yates
Connolly, l. b.		r. f., M'Foley
J. Read, r. b.		l. b., Sanger

Score—Milton Jrs. 27, Hyde Park Y. M. C. A. 7. Goals from floor—O'Connell 7, G. Read 3, Sharp 2, McFoley 2, Stacy 2, Sanger 2. Fouls—Flaherty, J. Read, Stuart, Sharp. Time—Two 10 minute periods. Referee—Mr. Burnett. Timer—Cunningham.

MILTON.		ST. STEPHEN'S A. A.
Archer, l. f.		r. b., A. Welsh
Cross, Jardine, r. f.		[illegible]
Powell, c.		c., J. [illegible]
Foster, l. b.		r. f., Trefry
Langstreth, r. b.		l. f., H. [illegible]

Score—Milton 25, St. Stephens A. A. 12. Goals from floor—Archer 6, [illegible] 4, Cross, Jardine, Foster, Alexander 2, [illegible], Trefry. Goals from fouls—Powell, Forbes, Alexander. Referee—Mr. Burnett. Timer—Mr. Cunningham. Time—20 and 10 minute periods.

RECORD BREAKING LIST OF ENTRIES FOR THE BIG NEW ENGLAND DOG SHOW

The New York Show, Which Opens Next Week, Has Also More Entries Than Ever.

While more than 1,300 entries have been received for the twenty-third annual dog show of the New England Kennel Club, which opens in Mechanics building on February 19, yet the total number of dogs entered being less than 1,000, it will make the exhibition a four-point in place of a five-point show, as the exhibitors were in hopes would be the case.

The cause for this can be ascribed to the fact that Thomas W. Lawson will not exhibit. Last year he had over fifty dogs and eighty entries in the show. Of course the decision of the New England French Bulldog Club not to make an entry also cut the total. However, the managers of the New England Kennel Club cannot feel but they have done excellent work, for as it is the entry list is the largest ever received for the Boston show.

It will take a day or two before the large number of entries can be classified, but Secretary Jack Taylor has gone far enough in the work to know that the Boston terriers lead the list in point of numbers, and that cocker spaniels and the gun dogs will be in numerous evidence. Bull terriers and airedales are too largely represented.

New York's Great List.

The entry list of the Westminster Kennel Club's show, which opens in Madison Square Garden, New York, on February 12, proves the total to be largely in excess of the record-breaking number secured for the exhibition of 1906, as 1,987 individual dogs are entered, with 3,075 entries in all.

Without a doubt the much courted 2,000 mark would have been passed but for many deaths among Miss Anna Sand's kennels of Pomeranians, which were practically depleted by distemper; and by Mrs. Mandy Morris's kennels of the same breed and of Pekinese, which suffered from the same contagion.

Leading the list in numbers is the Boston terrier with 248 dogs and 311 entries. This is the largest entry ever received of one breed in an open show, and was only exceeded by the number received at the Boston Terrier Specialty Show last November.

Second in quantity in the Westminster Show comes the collies, with 145 dogs and 234 entries. Other breeds to exceed the century figure are the bulldogs and cocker spaniels, with 123 dogs and 193 entries and 122 dogs and 180 entries respectively. French bulldogs are represented with 89 dogs and 134 entries. The list follows:

	No. of Dogs.	No. of Entries.
Bloodhounds	10	33
St. Bernards	38	65
Great Danes	69	102
Newfoundlands	7	7
Russian Wolfhounds	42	[illegible]
Deerhounds	5	11
Greyhounds	21	47
Foxhounds (American)	22	32
Foxhounds (English)	12	15
Pointers	73	120
English Setters	66	103
Irish Setters	27	38
Gordon Setters	13	22
Retrievers	1	1
Chesapeake Bay Dogs	5	5
Basset Hounds	5	6
Irish Water Spaniels	4	6
Clumber Spaniels	8	9
Field Spaniels	18	26
Cocker Spaniels	122	180
Beagles	84	120
Dachshunds	40	65
Whippets	10	13
Collies (rough)	145	234
Collies (smooth)	7	10
[illegible]	16	[illegible]
Poodles	45	61
Chow Chows	28	48
Dalmatians	31	52
[illegible]	2	3
Bulldogs	123	193
Airedales	57	[illegible]
Bull Terriers	77	113
French Bulldogs	89	134
Boston Terriers	248	311
Fox Terriers	61	[illegible]
Irish Terriers	68	[illegible]
Scottish Terriers	[illegible]	96
Rosenath Terriers	1	[illegible]
Welsh Terriers	10	[illegible]
Black and Tan Terriers	14	21
Skye Terriers	3	4
Bedlington Terriers	4	7
Dandie Dinmont Terriers	4	7
Schipperkes	12	17
Pomeranians	74	113
English Toy Spaniels	41	69
Japanese Spaniels	11	15
Pekinese Spaniels	8	13
Pugs	5	5
Yorkshire Terriers	13	16
[illegible]	4	7
Maltese Terriers	10	12
Toy Terriers	7	7
Griffons	7	8
Chihuahuas	4	4
Papillons	3	3
Italian Greyhounds	3	3
Miscellaneous	2	2
Total	[illegible]	3,075

Alex Goode, the well-known fancier of Boston terriers, recently called on his old friend, Colonel Dick Murphy. Now the Colonel had a little bitch he showed at the last Boston Terrier Club's show, when Messrs. Goode, Riley and Baldwin were the judges, and while some thirty paraded for the awards in the puppy class, Murphy was made happy by getting the commended.

He named this bitch Caprice II., after the trotting mare owned by John O'Connor. He didn't care for the II. after the name, but some zealous person had got in ahead of him by registering a bitch as Caprice. Murphy's bitch was sired by Donahue's Duke, and is out of Murphy's Topsey.

After thoroughly looking the little lady over, Goode asked the price. "Nothing less than $100," was the answer he got. Goode then asked for a pen and ink and pulled his check book, but when he handed his check to the colonel it read for $75.

"Not another man on earth could have gotten her for that sum," said Murphy in telling the story, "but Goode is going to fix her up for the coming shows, and as I own the mother of her it will be a feather in my cap if Caprice II. carries off a few firsts."

The colonel has a three-months-old puppy out of his Topsey that is to-day quite a trick performer. She will make [illegible] that in the specialty show this year.

Horace Chenery of Boston, owner of a stock farm in Belfast, Me., named The Pastures, from which some of the best trotters and pacers in the Grand Circuit have been bred and developed, is also a great admirer of sporting dogs, and in the coming Boston show in Mechanics Building this month has made several entries.

Probably the largest owner of dogs in the world is a Russian cattle king, who has 35,000 shepherd dogs to look after his 1,500,000 sheep. The cattle king should be thankful that he doesn't live around Boston, where he would stand a chance of being obliged to buy muzzles for all of his 35,000 dogs.

YALE FRESHMEN'S BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Special to the Sunday American.

New Haven, Ct., Feb. 2.—The baseball schedule for the Yale freshmen was to-day announced as follows:

April 13—Betts Academy at Stamford.
April 20—Hotchkiss at Lakeville.
April 23—Mercersburg Academy at New Haven.
April 24—Williston Academy at New Haven.
April 27—Open.
May 1—Andover at Andover.
May 4—Exeter at Exeter.
May 7—Mason at New Haven.
May 11—Pennsylvania freshmen at New Haven.
May 18—Princeton freshmen at New Haven.
May 25—Harvard freshmen at New Haven.
May 29—Yale seconds at New Haven.
May 30—Princeton freshmen at New Haven.
June 1—Harvard freshmen at Cambridge.

DEDHAM GIRLS BEAT NO. EASTON RIVALS

At Dedham yesterday the Dedham High School girls' basketball team defeated the Oliver Ames High team of North Easton by the score of 12 to 8. The summary:

DEDHAM HIGH.		OLIVER AMES HIGH.
Miss Foss, l. f.		r. b., Miss Reed
Miss Kaufman, r. f.		l. b., Miss Sullivan
Miss [illegible]		[illegible], Miss Spooner
Miss [illegible]		[illegible]
Miss [illegible]		[illegible]
Miss [illegible]		r. f., Miss Ellis
Miss W[illegible], r. g.		l. f., Miss M[illegible]

Goals from floor—Miss Foss 3, Miss [illegible]. Goals from fouls—Miss Kaufman 2. Score—[illegible]. Referee—Miss Seamans. Umpire—Mr. Stevens. Time—12m. halves.

MISSOURI LAD WINS HANDICAP AT 13 TO 1.

Feature Race at New Orleans Results in Upset for the Talent.

Special to the Sunday American.

New Orleans, Feb. 2.—Missouri Lad, at 13 to 1, upset the calculations of the wise bettors to-day by winning the new St. Charles Hotel Handicap. The races were run over a [illegible]. Summary:

FIRST RACE—[illegible] 1 to 10 and 3 to 5, won; Dargle [illegible] 110, 8 to 1 and 3 to 2, second; Mafalda, 108 (W. Walker), 7 to 1 and 7 to 2, third. Time—1:47. Basil, Pride of Woodstock, Chamblet, Jerry C., Happy Jack, Monis and Dr. Riley also ran.

SECOND RACE—Four furlongs, two-year-olds. Montbert, 104 (Rowe), 11 to 5 and 1 to 3, won; Rubywick, 109 (Mitchell), 17 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Whiskbroom, 111 (Sedor), 11 to 20 and out, third. Time—51 4-5. [illegible] also ran.

THIRD RACE—Owners' handicap, one mile. Tr[illegible], 90 (Garner), 7 to 10 and out, won; Grana[illegible], 104, 11 to 10, second; Glamor, 95 (J. Hennessy), 9 to 5 and 1 to 2 to 5, third. Time—1:45. Sentax and Society Belle also ran.

FOURTH RACE—The New St. Charles Handicap, one and a quarter miles. Missouri Lad, 105 (Farrow), 13 to 1 [illegible], won; [illegible], 100 (J. Hennessy), 20 to 1 and 6 to 1, second; St. Valentine, 108 (Aubuchon), 5 to 1 and 11 to 5, third. Time—2:11 4-5. James Reddick, Don't Ask Me, Besterling, Marvin Neal and Bronnie also ran.

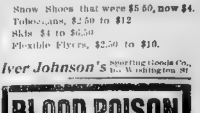
FIFTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth. Tern[illegible], won; [illegible], second; Flavigny, 110, [illegible] 8 to 5, third. Time—[illegible]. [illegible] Vega, [illegible], Strong Gauge, Society Bud [illegible] also ran.

SIXTH RACE—[illegible] 98 (C. Van Dusen), 5 to 1 [illegible], won; Sherwood, 103, [illegible] 1, second; Tarlac, 98 (Heckman), 12 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time—[illegible] 3 4-5. Dr. Young, Holland, Longbright, Geo. Vivian, Handbag, Happy Chap and Ella M. also ran.

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and one-sixteenth. Katie Powers, [illegible] 4 to 5 and 2 to 5, won; Small [illegible] 5 to 1 and 8 to 5, second; Little Elkin, 108 (Bilac), 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, third. Time—1:54 3-5. Speedmaker, Red Coat, Celebration, Little Red and Flagstone also ran.

NEW ELECTRIC AUTO PLACED ON MARKET

The latest electric to be placed on the market is the Bailey, manufactured by the S. R. Bailey Company of Amesbury, and controlled here in Boston by the French Carriage Company. The car has all the earmarks of an up-to-date electric, being excellent in its construction, finish and appointments. It is equipped with a double chain drive and has a mileage capacity of sixty miles on one charge. It is of the runabout type, with an attractive top, and is finished in black.



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Norvet a New Factor in the "Eternity" Cup Race

For the fourth time the "Eternity Challenge Cup" was contested for over the Charles River speedway yesterday afternoon, and like the previous races for this the result brought another winner to the fore. The fortunate trotter in this case was Norvet, 2:18¼, the property of Fred Morrill.

Despite the soft going on the thoroughfares the footing on the speedway was first class, and a large crowd came out to see the fun. Isaac Sexton, not being able to drive his Tom Phair, the victor in the initial race for the cup, had to remain in the stable under the conditions imposed by the executive committee of the "Ents." Zambia, the winner of the second race, too, was out of the running, as Monroe Goodspeed elected not to start. This left five to take the word.

It was generally expected that Olga W., with whom Fred Horton pulled off the event the first time, would be capable of repeating the trick, but she came to grief after taking the first heat quite handily, with Walter Bates second, behind his stallion Binjolla.

Fred Morrill had last Fall bought the veteran trotter Norvet from J. V. N. Stults, and believing he had a chance, was careful in getting away good the second heat. He raced neck and neck with Olga W. till nearly to the finish, when the gelding let out another link and won by a close margin. The time was fast—32½ seconds.

In the third and final trip Olga W. was not capable of giving Norvet battle, as she had in the previous heat, and the latter won easily. If the sleighing holds, the next race for the cup will take place Tuesday. Summary:

[illegible] CHALLENGE CUP.
Quarter-Mile Heats to Sleigh.

Norvet, b. g. (Fred Morrill)	4	1	1
Olga W., b. m. (Fred Horton)	1	2	2
Binjolla, b. h. (Walter Bates)	2	3	3
Wavelite, ch. m. (Walter Corbett)	3	4	4
Little Bill, b. g. (A. L. Jameson)	5	5	5

Time—0:34¼, 0:32½, 0:3[illegible].

ALTROCK SORRY FOR BAN.

I regret to hear that Ban Johnson has been confined to his home with the grip. The grip is a disease which I would not like to have. They say it makes your bones ache. As Ban gets ten or fifteen thousand bones a year the disease must go rather hard with him. But players [illegible] are seldom troubled [illegible]. They haven't enough bones to [illegible] respective aches.—Nick Altrock, Chicago Sox.

BALL PLAYERS AS DOCTORS.

It is a singular fact that nearly all the professional baseball players who adopt medicine or dentistry as their professions are either pitchers or catchers. One exception is Dr. Casey of the Brooklyns and another is Gessler of the Cubs. Among the pitchers in the two big leagues who have or will have "Dr." as a prefix are Newton and Scanlon. The catchers are Powers and Marshall.

ROBSON IS AFTER ATTELL.

Here's a new one. Spike Robson, the English featherweight champion, declares he will claim the championship of the world if Abe Attell does not hurry and accept his challenge for a fight at 126 pounds ringside, which is regarded as the legitimate weight for that class in England. Attell says he would like to know what right Robson has to come here and dictate new weight limits for his class.

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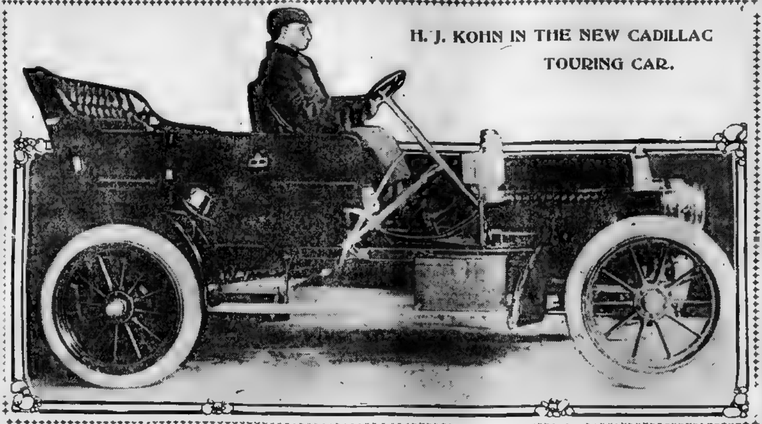
BOSTON SHOW OUTSIDE SPACE IS BEING HIRED

AUTO NEWS

Double Page Edited by J. C. KERRISON

NEW MODELS ARRIVE


H. J. KOHN IN THE NEW CADILLAC TOURING CAR.

HIRING EXTRA SPACE FOR BOSTON SHOW.

New York Firm Secures a Small Hall in Addition to Regular Allotment.

NO MORE ROOM TO BE HAD IN MECHANICS HALL

Auto Exhibit in March Will Be the Largest of Any in This Country.

The importance of the Boston show in March to the manufacturer is shown in the displays which are to be given by various firms. One large importing firm of New York has not only secured space but has hired the entire small hall which is one of a group of three comprising the exhibition space in Horticultural Building.

Another firm is trying to secure the right to rent the large hall on the second floor of Mechanics Building which has been set aside by the management for a display of moving pictures. Should this hall be secured by this American firm, it will no doubt be specially decorated and the cars shown in a very attractive manner. Other firms are requesting more than the regular amount of space but it is impossible to accommodate them because all the regular exhibition locations are sold.

During show week the automobile is the thing. It will prove a great attraction and those who fall under its spell will not be confined to any one or two classes of society. Every one in his heart cherishes some sort of sentiment toward the horseless vehicle, it may be of admiration or of affection similar to that felt for a horse.

But no matter what the sentiment the owner of it will gratify it by seeing grouped at the Boston show more kinds of autos than he could count in a day's turn on the road. More kinds, perhaps, than he has ever dreamed of, for they are constantly increasing and each expresses some manufacturer's idea of what is best in a particular line.

It is this thought that makes every example worth considering and also sets the springs of envy to working that the question arises. What's the use of owning just one automobile? To be really happy one should have about a dozen of them, one for every occasion, just as those who are well equipped with carriages have for each its special purpose. But to have the dozen you must first have one, and if you have not yet decided what this one shall be you probably will before the exhibition is closed.

SMOKE TALK PLEASES BAY STATE A. A. MEMBERS.

Jolly Crowd Listens to an Address by H. H. Brown in Clubhouse.

It was a jolly crowd that enjoyed the lunch and smoke talk given under the directions of the entertainment committee at the home of the Bay State Automobile Association last evening. Dinner or lunch, whichever you care to call it, was served between 6 and 8 o'clock, during which there was no lack of impromptu entertainment, the diners passing bon mots with freedom and abandon.

It was no place for the man who cares not for a jolly good time. After lunch came the smoke talk by H. H. Brown of the association, who talked on the lessons learned from the recent New York show [illegible] terly manner, displaying great insight into [illegible] of mechanics.

After the talk [illegible] a quartette consisting of Messrs. Fortesque, Wheeler, Young and O'Brien, rendered several selections, and to cap the climax Secretary Fortesque sang his ever popular and always attractive little song, "The Battle of the Nile."

WINTON X-I-V TAKES SEVERE TEST IN STORM

No greater test could possibly be given a car than was recently submitted to the Winton X-I-V. On one of the recent stormy days, when the snow was over the rims of the wheels, and had drifted higher than the axles themselves, F. A. Hinchcliffe, Fred Shaw and F. A. Wadman, three F. A.'s, went out for a little spin. They drove the car through all sorts and conditions of snowdrifts, up hill, down dale, and did all kinds of stunts imaginable and with all their hard work they could make no impression whatever on the working parts of the car. It performed admirably and did all the stunts required and in general proved itself a car of the day.

THOMAS NON-STOP TEST IS PRAISED

The Thomas flyer world's record non-stop car is doing a deal of good work on its trip through the country. Its appearance at the New York show called forth words of commendation. Since then it has travelled West and yesterday was at Chicago, the engine still running. The car will be run for several days more. In the meantime Harry Fosdick Company, the local agent for the Thomas, is also making a record run on sale of cars.

H. D. CASTLE.

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DELIVERIES STILL BEING MADE IN AUTOS.

During the Past Week Twenty-Six Cars Were Registered by Commissioners.

Just twenty-six machines were registered with the highway commissioners during the past week, they being as follows:

17,722 Edward [illegible] Adams street, Malden, [illegible].

17,723 John [illegible] street, Brookline, Pope touring car.

17,724 Louis H. [illegible] avenue, Winchester, [illegible] car.

17,725 [illegible] Boylston street, [illegible] touring car.

17,726 [illegible] Commonwealth avenue, [illegible] car.

17,727 Charles E. [illegible] street, New [illegible], Packard touring car and limousine.

17,728 Charles D. Bort, 47 [illegible] street, Fall River, Peerless touring car.

17,729 [illegible] F. Robbins, 100 [illegible] street, Worcester, Stevens-Duryea touring car.

17,730 Augusta M. Higbee, Farm street, Dover, Pope touring car.

17,731 [illegible] B. Williams, 100 Longwood avenue, Brookline, Peerless touring car.

17,732 George H. Cornell, 432 Durfee street, Fall River, Franklin touring car.

17,733 Francis B. Harrington, 201 Beacon street, [illegible], Pierce touring car.

17,734 Chester W. Davis, 274 Lincoln street, New [illegible], Peerless [illegible].

17,735 Southern Massachusetts Telephone Co., 29 [illegible] street, Brockton, Rapid Motor Vehicle [illegible] truck.

17,736 [illegible] F. Mayo, 53 Buffum street, Salem, [illegible].

17,737 Arthur B. Lewis, 461 Main street, Springfield, [illegible] touring car.

17,738 Daniel A. Brown, 22 [illegible] street, Everett, Northern Manufacturing Co. touring car.

17,739 Arthur F. Isman, 901 Hancock street, Wollaston, White touring car.

17,740 Marting A. Williams, 110 Newbury street, Boston, Maxwell-Briscoe runabout.

17,741 Harry M. [illegible], 18 Gaston street, Boston, Buick touring car.

17,742 Edward T. Reynolds, 21 Lakeview avenue, Lynn, Pope touring car.

17,743 William H. McKeen, 738 Stevens street, Lowell, Stanley runabout.

17,744 George [illegible] Stowe, 203 Commercial street, Worcester, White touring car.

17,745 Patrick H. McCarthy, 185 Washington avenue, Chelsea, [illegible] runabout.

17,746 George H. Jones Jr., 72 Hancock avenue, Medford, Cadillac touring car.

17,747 J. Henry Herring, 675 County street, New Bedford, H. H. Buffum runabout.

Low Price Four-Cylinder Cadillac Auto Arrives Here

Model G Is a Scientific Combination of Beauty and High Power.

A scientifically designed and skilfully made car is the new member of the Cadillac line, known as Model G. This new car reached Boston during the latter part of the week and has attracted no small amount of attention since its display in the salesroom of Alvin T. Fuller at the Motor Mart. Model G takes its place between the single cylinder and the big Cadillac, it being but a step from the former to the new four-cylinder sliding car. It is offered to meet a demand for a thoroughly high grade, medium powered, medium sized automobile at a somewhat lower price than is demanded for the large touring cars.

The motor is twenty horsepower, of the four-cycle four cylinder type, 4-inch bore by 4½ inch piston stroke, mounted on an aluminum base. The cylinders are cast individually as are also the cylinder heads, the latter being connected with the cylinders by right and left threaded nipples.

As in all Cadillac cars, the Cadillac original system of copper water jacketing is used. This construction, having cylinder, cylinder heads and water jackets made separately, has several distinct advantages.

The crank shaft bearings are of large surface, made of babbitt and backed by bronze. These bearings being made in halves may be easily adjusted in case of wear and removed for replacement if necessary.

The inlet and exhaust valves are interchangeable and are all located on the same side of the motor, their action being controlled by a single cam shaft. The cams are hardened steel and the lower end of each valve rod is provided with a hardened steel roller and pin.

The cylinder heads containing the valve chambers are provided with compression relief cocks which may also be utilized for priming.

The lubrication of the motor is by the automatic splash system. The supply of oil in the crank case is maintained by a force feed lubricator situated alongside the motor. From the lubricator the oil is forced through a sight feed on the dash, thence to the crank case, and by a series of troughs is evenly distributed in the crank case.

The motor base or crank case is aluminum, cast in two pieces, having four compartments, the dividing walls acting also as supports for the crank shaft bearings. The motor has a three point suspension and is attached to frame cross members.

Working for Good Sign Boards in the State

Automobile Association in Touch with City and Town Officials on the Matter.

No small amount of work looking toward the erection of sign boards throughout the State is now being accomplished by the Massachusetts State Automobile Association. During the past month or so every city and town throughout the State has had its attention drawn to the existence of a State law providing for the erection and maintainence of such signs. The results of this have been eminently satisfactory.

The majority of the cities and towns throughout the State have written Secretary Fortescue that they have or will immediately erect such signs. Most of these towns appreciate the need of such boards and are willing to do all in their power to conform to the law; furthermore, it is interesting to note that they are likewise willing to accept suggestions from the State Automobile Association regarding the erection of the same.

Just as soon as the roads get into passable condition the association will inaugurate its work of erecting danger and caution sign boards at dangerous points on the highways of the State, it doing this in conjunction and with the approval of the officials of the different towns and cities, despite the fact that under the law it has every authority to do so on its own account.

The desire of the association is rather to work in conjunction with town and city officials, not to find fault with and embarrass them. This disposition has had its good results, better and more effective work being accomplished.

ENGINEERS WILL DISCUSS AUTO IMPROVEMENTS.

Following the three days' session of the mechanical branch of the Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers, which was held during the Madison Square Garden show, at which some very important technical subjects were discussed, the engineers and factory superintendents of the association have called a meeting to be held during the Chicago show. The meeting will take place at the Chicago Athletic Club Wednesday, February 6, at which time it will not only give the engineers an opportunity to further inspect the individual cars of the association members but to make comparisons at the Chicago show between the cars deriving the co-operated benefits of the thirty-two leading engineers of the country and those not receiving results of this universal work.

The subjects to be considered will be clutches, springs, shock absorbers and carburetors, and it is expected that the discussion will bring forth some very interesting and radical changes in certain methods pertaining to these specific parts. Representatives of the leading manufacturers of the above parts are expected to be present and will talk on subjects with which they are thoroughly familiar.

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GILBERT TO COACH COLUMBIA.

Trenton, Feb. 2.—Billy Gilbert, who was recently transferred by Manager McGraw to the Newark Eastern League club, has written to a friend in this city reiterating his determination not to play baseball in Newark under any consideration. Gilbert says he has decided to accept an offer to coach the baseball team of Columbia University, which will take about two months of his time. When this work is finished he adds that he will return to New York and attend to his cafe business, playing a little baseball on the side to keep him in physical trim. He declares, however, that he has permanently retired from baseball as a means of gaining a livelihood.

FORD RUNABOUT GOES UP IN PRICE TO $600.

Increased Cost of Material the Reason for Advance on Popular Car.

Manager C. E. Fay of the New England branch of the Ford Motor Company announces that the price of the famous Ford four-cylinder runabout is now $600. This will be no surprise to those familiar with the situation, particularly as the Ford company has intimated from time to time in its advertisements that the price might be advanced.

Conditions over which Ford has no control, are responsible for this change, for be it said it is made much against Mr. Ford's own wishes. He has always claimed that a first-class runabout could be made and sold for $500 and during the past year has been backing up his statement by putting out the goods.

He has suffered no change of heart, but the unprecedented prosperity of the country and the increased price of all materials due to excessive demand, has made it impossible to build this car of the same quality of special steel, aluminum, brass and other metals as have been used in its construction and have anything left after selling it at $500. The Ford Motor Company encountered these conditions when it came to making new contracts for materials, and an increase of price for the finished product was therefore imperative.

Heretofore the runabout has been sold for $500, equipped with 28x2½ inch tires. The machines are now being put out with three-inch tires as standard equipment, so that of the advance of $100 in price $50 is tire money which has been paid in the past for the same thing. Hereafter there will be no option as to tires, all cars being equipped with 28x3 inch.

HANDSOME CAR IS SHOWN BY KIMBALL

Model H Corbin, Now at the Motor Mart, Is a Fine Production.

A handsome model H air cooled Corbin has been received by the E. T. Kimball Company of the Motor Mart. The car is finished in vermilion with black striping, has a top with lining to match the body finish, and is altogether an attractive vehicle.

The motor is of the four-cylinder type, developing 24 horsepower. All valves are mechanically operated and interchangeable.

The transmission is through a leather-faced cone clutch, sliding, selective, change speed gear with three speeds and reverse, operated by a single lever, and bevel gear shaft with double universal joints to a semi-floating type rear axle with spur gear differential. The bearings are annular throughout except the intermediate crank shaft and cam shaft bearings, and the frame is of pressed steel. The ignition is jump spark and the throttle and spark levers are on top of the steering wheel.

The Corbin is the product of the Corbin Motor Vehicle Corporation of New Britain, Conn., and was put out originally only after the most thorough study of automobile construction and the most searching tests of every part entering into the mechanism.

CHICAGO AUTO SHOW OPENS IN GRAND STYLE.

Coliseum, Annex and Armory Required for Display of Exhibits.

CONSIDERED BETTER THAN NEW YORK SHOW

Dealers Flock to Windy City in Force to Study Trade Conditions.

BY DUNCAN CURRY.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—Chicago's great automobile show opened this afternoon in a blaze of glory and to-night the capacity of the huge Coliseum building, to say nothing of the Annex and First Regiment Armory, were taxed to their utmost capacity to accommodate the crowd.

Take it all in all, the Chicago show is really a combination of the New York armory and Garden shows, with a few outside cars unknown to the East thrown in for good measure. All things considered, it is a most comprehensive exhibit of the product of this wonderful automobile industry, more wonderful than either of the New York shows and would well repay a visit from New York or even California.

Dealers Out in Force.

That this view is not particularly original is shown by the tremendous number of out of town manufacturers and dealers who are here either to study the trade conditions, get pointers on rival cars, or to drum up trade in some hitherto undeveloped territory.

As there are something like 104 exhibitors of motor cars, to say nothing of 200 dealers in accessories, the Coliseum which is really the Mechanics' building of Chicago, was of course far too small to accommodate the exhibitors, and the overflow has been put in what they call the annex which is, I imagine, a Chicago term for stable, or in the First Regiment armory.

This latter building is about a block and a half away from the Coliseum and is supposed to be connected with the last named structure by means of a wooden tunnel or subway. This was not completed in time for the opening.

An Open Show.

While the Chicago show is supposed to be an open show, in which the licensed and unlicensed manufacturers have equal rights, it is a curious fact that only two licensed makers, the Buick and Smith and Mabley companies have drawn spaces in the armory, while the only well known independents in the Coliseum building are the Wayne, Maxwell, Reo, Premier and the Mitchell.

ANOTHER WINTON BRANCH.

The Winton company announces that it will shortly open its own branch house in Detroit. From this announcement it is evident that the Winton company finds the branch house plan profitable, for such establishments have been conducted for several years in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, Cleveland, Chicago and London.

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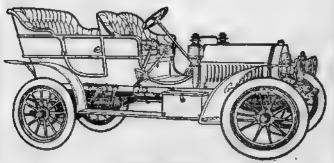

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LONG DISTANCE RACES TO BE FEATURED NEXT YEAR AT ORMOND, FLA.

Sir Thomas Dewar May Be Asked to Change the Conditions for His Trophy.

BY J. C. KERRISON.

There will be an Ormond tournament next year, all rumors to the contrary notwithstanding.

It will be held in February or early in March.

The piece de resistance of the tournament will be 150 miles event.

The mile mark is to be relegated to partial obscurity, and the chances are that the present mile record of 28 1-5 seconds for the mile will remain standing for some time to come.

Long distance racing is rapidly developing, and with the completion of the Long Island motorway will become more popular than ever. The mile mark has served its purpose. While it will never be entirely abandoned it will hereafter play less in the limelight than heretofore.

The present course at Ormond is but sixteen miles in length. In order to meet the new conditions it is proposed to loop the course at both ends so that the same will be increased two miles at each end, making the course twenty miles in length, forty miles to the lap. This is possible in the South, where road construction is not so expensive as it is in the North. Near the Inlet, known as the sixteen mile mark, the mound builders who preceded the Indians have left great mounds of shells. These make admirable roads, and being close to the proposed loop can be utilized to great advantage at very little expense. The same is true of the Ormond end of the course.

A race open to stock chassis of 300 miles in length will be run next season. This will be divided into two days, cars being forced to go 150 miles a day, the conditions of the competition being somewhat similar to those of the Grand Prix.

Another 150-Mile Race.

Another event of 150 miles will also be held. The entries will not be restricted to stock chassis, but open to the world, so that the machines built for the Vanderbilt and other long distance international events will be eligible to compete.

There was an opportunity at Ormond for some of the gasolene car men to get into the game and make a great killing. Instead they held aloof, contending that it was unfair to expect them to put their machines into competition with what they were pleased to term "freak" machines, namely the steamers. Had they done so they would have reaped a great harvest at all distances over the five miles as none of the so-called freaks performed to any great degree above that mark. In fact to tell the truth the performances of the steamers was rather below par in all events. Of course an unfortunate accident marred the test against the mile record, which at one time seemed in particular danger.

The history of the meet so far as the steamers was concerned was not even a repetition of what had gone before, they failing to make as excellent a showing as in the past. While it is admitted that for short distances the steamer has the advantage, and especially when that steamer is especially constructed for fast work at the mile, it is likewise true that the contention has been that at long distances they are not the equal to the gasolene, and experiences in previous races would indicate such to be the case.

Under these conditions the owners of gasolene cars certainly showed a questionable position when they failed to make entry for the longer distance events. They would certainly have been unwise to have made entry of their racing machines in the mile, as they would unquestionably have been defeated. But above that mark there was great reason to believe that the gasolene cars would have proven the equal if not the superior of the steamers.

"Freaks" Frightened 'Em.

A year ago Demogeo, with a gasolene car, defeated this particular car at the two-mile mark, and above that distance the car, the speediest of the stable, failed to make any great "killing." It might possibly have been the same this year had the racing machines of the manufacturers been entered. The Bugaboo of the meet, the "freaks," so-called, frightened the big men away, and they failed to show the speed and ability that was anticipated.

In the mile international for the Sir Thomas Dewar trophy, there was but one entry, and the cup still remains in possession of the Stanleys. There is no great question but what if there had been other entries the conditions would have remained the same. Realizing that there was and always will be a lack of competition for that trophy, so long as the present condition of affairs exists, and they will exist for some years to come, the mile mark will unquestionably become less famous and desirable to the constructors of motor vehicles.

The conditions surrounding the same call for the construction of a special car to secure the trophy and lower the record. The present record of 28 1-5 seconds is destined to remain where it is for some time to come, especially if the ideas of the officers of the meet are carried out.

F. E. Stanley himself seems to appreciate this fact, as at Ormond he said he was seriously considering the advisability of returning the cup to its donor with the suggestion that new rules and conditions for its competition be formulated. He believed that the donor did not realize the conditions which would be created in a competition at the mile when he offered the cup. These are such, however, as to retard rather than encourage competition.

New Conditions Proposed.

It is generally realized that the steamer is the fastest thing at the distance and no one seeming to care sufficient for the mark to construct a car for the same, the field has been limited to one concern. That concern, animated by a desire to advance the general automobile industry, is now willing to step aside, return the trophy, and invite the donor to place different restrictions or conditions. This is a most sportsmanlike action. When asked what distance he believed the trophy should be offered at Mr. Stanley said he had not considered that to any great extent, but he personally, off hand, would say that it should be offered for either a five or ten mile event, no over ten miles.

This idea coincides with that of the majority of the men who have made a close study of racing affairs. They realize that the winning of the mile or the establishment of a mile record is to be classed as a remarkable performance alone. They likewise realize that no man or men enterprising enough to construct either a steam or gasolene car should be barred from competition.

The manufacturer and the public alike appreciate the fact that the car which is built to go a mile in the fastest time recorded is not the car of commerce the car which the great public is interested in. It may have speed, but lack stability, endurance and other essential features that go to make up the vehicle demanded in public or private use. Racing being the means to an end, that end being greater popularity of the motor vehicle as a whole and special cars in particular nothing of any great value is to be gained by special flying machines, if the mile record holders can so be termed.

Not to Abolish Mile Race.

To abolish the mile mark would indeed be unfair and likewise unsportsmanlike. But the conditions regarding the entry of a car for such an event can be so framed as to prevent or discourage the construction of cars for that distance alone. Such was the ideas expressed at the meeting of promoters and officials at Ormond on the last day of the meet.

This meeting to talk over Ormond affairs was presided over by President Lewis R. Speare of the Bay State Automobile Association, who acted as referee throughout the meet. There were present many of the leading race promoters of the country, men who had considered the questions from almost every standpoint. The consensus of opinion was that instead of catering to the mile and the two-mile mark an effort should be made to encourage long-distance racing, from ten to one hundred miles or more, particularly the century mark. In such events as this a car would not only have to possess speed but reliability and endurance. A race would then demonstrate the absolute fitness of a certain car, would give the winner prestige over others not to be gained by phenomenal work at short distances.

Long distance events should be encouraged more so in the future than ever before, as the establishment of the Long Island motorway will necessarily result in the more general construction of racing machines for the longer distances. If Ormond desires to retain her present standing in the motor world she must keep abreast of the times.

Where the Shoe Pinches.

When long distance events have been determined upon, a new clause will unquestionably be inserted in the conditions of the tourney, and that will be to the effect that no car failing to qualify in some one or more of the long distance races will be permitted to start in the mile event. And there is just where the shoe will pinch those who essay to get the mile mark without regard to others. It will discourage to a considerable degree the construction of special cars and bring about a condition of affairs heretofore unknown in motor racing.

This will not be considered as a particular hardship even by those men who have in the past captured leading honors at the mile. They will unquestionably abandon the desire to build a car for the mile and instead go after the long distance marks. They have in the past made efforts in that direction, and that they have as yet failed to produce a successful Vanderbilt winner does not by any means signify that they will not do so in the future.

BAY STATE PLANT TAKES MORE SPACE

Boston's Automobile Factory Also Secures the Services of Charles Bates.

Although a comparatively new member in the field of motor manufacturers, the Bay State Automobile Company has made such rapid and excellent progress that it has been forced to enlarge its manufacturing plant on Norway street. This was done in order to rush through cars for its customers. The latest addition to the working force of the company is Charles Bates, who has had long experience in motor construction. Mr. Bates assumes the position of superintendent of construction, in which position he will have charge of the Bay State Forty.

Mr. Bates gained his training in automobile work by five years' service in England, his native country, where he worked in the factory of the English Daimler Company. He came to this country in 1901 and was immediately associated with the St. Louis Motor Carriage Company. As soon as that factory caught up with its orders Mr. Bates came to Boston to open a branch house and has since lived in this city. His presence at the Bay State factory will relieve George Temple, the designer, of the details of factory supervision.

Russell Drisco, manager of the company, states that cars are coming through rapidly.

HOUSE WARMING AT KNOX FACTORY

The annual meeting of the Knox Automobile Company of Springfield, Mass., makers of the Knox waterless pleasure cars and the well-known commercial cars, was recently held at the factory and was made the occasion for an informal house-warming of the recently completed new factories. The factory is now not only one of the most complete in the automobile industry but one of the largest. The last addition, a four-story and basement building nearly 300 feet long by 7[illegible] in width, is now almost completely [illegible] with new machinery, and the factory is now capable of turning out four complete four-cylinder cars and one commercial car each working day.

TOO MUCH SCIENCE IN REFLECTORS

New Scheme to Overcome Trouble Experienced by Many Motorists.

Motorists who have had their search light reflectors broken by the heat of the flame probably don't know that their troubles are due to too much scientific calculation. When the demand for powerful searchlights sprang up, the lamp manufacturers at once sought the combination of light and reflector which would project the strongest light.

Scientists were called in and calculated the thing to a nicety, using parabolas and angles with truly scientific abandon. But they failed to consider the effect of heat on glass. The flame was placed too near the curve reflector, and thousands of reflectors have been cracked by the heat. Many manufacturers still make this mistake. Some have moved the flame farther from the reflector, with consequent loss of light. Some have considered polished steel reflectors instead of the concave mirror.

This difficulty is overcome by the use of a mirror lens condensing reflector which by reason of its curvature is at sufficient distance from the flame to prevent cracking.

MULTIPLE DISC CLUTCH FOR AERO CAR

It has been determined to equip the new Aero car with a multiple disc clutch instead of the cone, as used heretofore. This is but one of the many indications that the Aero car people are striving to secure the very best in automobile construction. There are forty-four discs in all, twenty-two of steel and twenty-two of bronze, running in oil. This is a pattern that has been thoroughly tried out and is claimed to be the smoothest working clutch and the easiest to control that is in use. The company also builds the model C air-cooled roadster. George H. Lowe, who is known far and wide, says that the Aero car will go farther on a smaller quantity of gasolene than any car he has ever driven.

F. A. Hinchcliffe, F. A. Snow and F. A. Wildman in the Winton X-I-V Car Which Has Made Such a Splendid Record in Recent Tests.

MOTOR PATENT SUIT DECISION IS SOON EXPECTED.

Henry Ford's Two-Automobile-Show Idea for 1908 Will Hinge on Result.

Apropos of the statement which emanated from the headquarters of the American Licensed Automobile Manufacturers to the effect that there would soon be a decision in the famous Selden patent suit between the Ford Motor Company and the A. L. A. M., Henry Ford says: "There will be a decision within a few months—in time, perhaps, to settle the question of one show or two in New York next year. Inasmuch as we are confident of winning, I think I may say, on behalf of the independents, that we will not bar from the big show those misguided concerns which, in their greed for monopoly, allowed themselves to be drawn into a deal which has compelled them to pay a royalty on their own output and at the same time give the Ford Company a decided advantage over them.

"What action the Automobile Club of America may take in this matter we cannot foresee. But, while realizing fully the malignant object of this trust, based on and concealed behind the ridiculous claims of Selden, and fully appreciating that the success of its plans would have resulted in the annihilation of the Ford Company, it has, by its opposition, however unwittingly—boosted the Ford to such an extent that we are willing to charge off against our advertising account the $50,000 it has cost us to contest this patent and to retain our self respect."

With regard to the confident assertions of the A. L. A. M. that the decision in the lower court will sustain Selden's basic patent claims, the following story, that went the rounds during the New York show, is interesting: It having come to the ears of members of the Ford Company that certain men identified with the A. L. A. M. were willing to wager any amount, at odds of 4 to 1, that the first decision would be in favor of that organization, a certified check for $10,000 was, within half an hour, sent to the hotel whence the report originated, and remained there several days without being covered, although the A. L. A. M. members were aware that their wager had been taken.

C. S. HENSHAW.

He is explaining the fine points of the Haynes car, for which he is agent.

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Public Wants Good Autos, Treasurer Franklin Says

By H. H. Franklin, Treasurer, A. L. A. M.

New York, Feb. 2.—Unlike former automobile shows, this one is not a mere grab after business, a market place performance, but in the truest sense it is an exposition of the rapidly growing perfection of the motor car. One might say with truth that the first automobile show, held in 1899, was not an exposition at all, but simply the assembling of manufacturers to set going the automobile business of the season.

Since then the purpose and effect of the show has gradually changed in the direction of demonstrating to the public that the business of making automobiles has become more and more stable and that the car has become more and more standard and reliable. The Association of Licensed Automobile Manufacturers has brought this about.

Many who visit the show think the association is a body of manufacturers who protect themselves from legitimate competition by taking refuge under a basic patent, and are directly opposed to the interests of owners of motor vehicles. On the contrary, while the association is exceedingly active, its activity has not been in the direction of regulating selling prices. Its influence has all been exerted toward quality, not only of engineering and design, but quality of material and construction.

When the American automobile was first placed in the market it was a badly constructed machine—a combination of ignorance of the art and fear that the American public would not pay for a good thing. Competition on the price basis threatened to lower even this low grade, or at least to keep it from rising.

At this period the leading American makers joined together under the standard of the Selden patent and stood together as solidly as competitors can for higher standards of making. The result has been better cars, more speed, more reliability, and the public was quick to respond.

The makers have prospered and the public has shown its appreciation of the new condition by greatly increased demand. Not only has the superior quality of the car manifested itself in the replacement of single and double cylinder cars by the four and six cylinder machines, but also by the refinement of every part, in design, material and workmanship.

From all this has come a solid growth and an enormous public demand for a good product. The natural outcome of this is that the more intelligent manufacturers realize that the demand is sufficient to absorb all the good cars they can make, and that therefore their interests are not assailed, but in a sense they are co-workers in turning out the very best motor vehicle their brains and factories can produce. In other words, "We are all in the same boat."

That seems to me the best feature of the show. We, that is to say, the makers and the public, are all in the same boat, and the manufacturers realize what was not clear to them three or four years ago, namely, that the public wants a reliable well-made automobile, and is willing to pay for it.

On the other hand, the public now realizes that the makers are earnestly striving, without regard to cost, to produce work of high standard, and that the automobile has become not only a thoroughly satisfactory source of recreation, but a reliable way of "getting there and back."

NEW ROUTE BOOK TO JAMESTOWN

White Company Issues a Clever Guide for Motorists Who Visit Exposition.

The White Company has just issued for free distribution to all motorists their route book No. 2, which gives complete and detailed road directions from New York to the Jamestown Exposition, Norfolk, Va. Included in the book are the routes to and from such cities as Philadelphia, Lancaster, Gettysburg, Harrisburg, Reading, Hagerstown, Winchester, etc., comprising in all more than 1,100 miles of road.

Every turn in the road, every fork where the tourist might hesitate as to which way to go, is accurately described and its mileage given. In addition to the turns, specific notice has been made of every railroad crossing, so that tourists provided with this book may use proper caution in approaching these crossings.

The book is profusely illustrated, showing views of the country traversed, including, among other subjects, some fine pictures of the battlefield of Gettysburg. Finally, the book contains a good map, as well as descriptive articles which give the tourist a very good idea of the character of the several routes.

TOURING BUREAU TO BE FEATURED

Secretary Elliott of the American Automobile Association Takes Office.

F. H. Elliott, the new secretary of the American Automobile Association, formally entered upon the duties of his office on February 1. The national organization has now nearly 9,000 members and its prospect never was so bright. Of special interest to members will be the movement to have uniform laws in all States and the development of the touring [illegible]. Secretary Elliott says:

"The touring board under the policy of the new administration will have a much broader scope, giving far better results than ever have been obtained before. It is the belief that the endeavors of the new touring board will shortly put value upon membership in the American Automobile Association, one that will make it as essential to all motorists as is membership in the Touring Club of France."

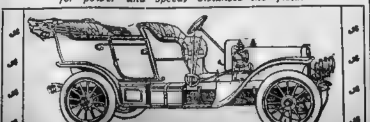
TO FORM STATE DIVISIONS.

Under the new bylaw of the American Automobile Association, permitting 100 unattached members in any State to form a State division, and get a substantial rebate from their dues for the division treasury, it is likely that the present year will see six or seven new divisions formed and active work being done in all the larger States.

WINTON
BERKELEY AND STANHOPE STREETS

Next year almost every high-grade car will have Offset Cylinders and the Multiple Disc Clutch. If you don't care to wait a year you can get them right now in the Winton Model M.

Another Winton feature is a Carburetor that, for power and speed, distances the field.



ALCOHOL AUTO TEST GIVE SPLENDID RESULTS.

Entire Absence of Ignition Knocks a Feature of the Maxwell Run.

As yet no official record has been given out in reference to the consumption of fuel in the three Maxwell cars driven from New York to Boston. The general performance of the alcohol was very satisfactory. H. A. Grant, M. E., who had charge of this test, said: "I was very much pleased with the result of the test. Alcohol has certainly distinct advantages over gasolene as a fuel for automobiles. Perhaps the greatest advantage lies in the entire absence of any ignition knocks. In fact, it is practically impossible to advance the spark to the point that will produce that peculiar metallic knock common to gasolene motors. The engine also pulls better on alcohol than with either kerosene or gasolene.

"This is due to the fact that while the initial pressure with alcohol at the moment of expansion is less than with gasolene the mean effective pressure throughout the entire stroke is greater. The motor would pull strongly at as low speed as one hundred revolutions per minute.

"A feature of the test, besides giving comparative results on alcohol, kerosene and gasolene, lies in the fact that the cars were standard in every respect. The carburetors were exactly alike and no change whatever was made. There were no preheating devices used for either fuel or air. That the cars all came through without trouble proves that the Maxwell car can handle fuels differing in density.

"The fuel consumed per mile will necessarily be high. This is, of course, on account of the hard going. In fact, between Hartford and Worcester the snow was from ten to twelve inches deep, making it necessary to resort to low speed for grades that on good roads could easily be taken on high. In fact on some down grades between Springfield and Marlboro it was necessary to resort to second speed. However, as the conditions were exactly alike for all the cars, the comparative results will be no less valuable."

LOCOMOBILE BOOK A TASTY PAMPHLET

One of the latest and likewise the neatest additions to motor literature is the Locomobile Book issued by the firm of that name. The book was prepared by J. A. Kingman, advertising manager, and is one of the finest productions typographically, as well as from an automobile standpoint, that has yet appeared. It is more than a catalogue, for in the text is offered much that is of interest to everybody concerned with the automobile, either for business or pleasure. The illustrations of the mechanism of the Locomobile are so clear that the reader does not need to see the car itself to understand the working of the different parts.

NO "CLOSED SHOP" HERE.

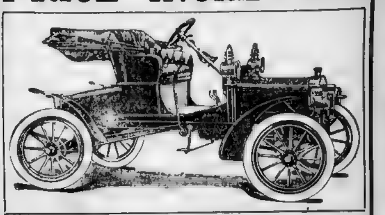
In Europe there is a watchman stationed in a cabby box outside the big automobile factories. A special pass is necessary to enter, and it takes a pull to get inside. In striking contrast to this is the policy of recognized leaders in the American industry, who advertise an open invitation to all to visit their plants.

MARRIOTT GETS BETTER QUICKLY

Injured Motorist's Ribs Are Beginning to Knit in Good Shape.

The latest information from Ormond is to the effect that Fred H. Marriott is rapidly recovering from the effects of his recent accidents. His fractured ribs are commencing to knit in good shape and Marriott himself is becoming brighter every day. Throughout his entire illness he has displayed great fortitude, never once complaining. On the other hand, he has felt that he was decidedly fortunate in not meeting with greater injuries. He expressed a wish to get below the present mile mark, saying that he surely would have done so on his last trial if it had not been for the unfortunate circumstances. Those who witnessed his flight of speed are fully satisfied that if he had reached the finishing mark of the mile he would have scored on the record.

PRICE INCREASED



4-CYLINDER RUNABOUT FORD $600

THE EXPECTED HAS HAPPENED

OWING TO INCREASED COST OF MATERIALS, and the incorporation of special steels and other metals throughout this wonderful car, it has become necessary to increase the price $50 in order to make the car at a profit at all.

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WE MAKE NO APOLOGIES for this raise in price; it has been made against our own inclinations; but we cannot control the price of steel, brass, aluminum and other materials, and the margin never has been even a fair one.

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RUSSIAN FAMINE $25,000,000 LOAN.

Government Makes Move Toward Relieving the Terrible Suffering.

BOND ISSUE ORDERED BY CZAR'S GOVERNMENT

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St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The Imperial Finance Commission has announced the issuance of a new internal loan of $25,000,000 to be devoted to the relief of the famine sufferers. This loan will not be opened to public subscription but will be absorbed by the State savings banks, the free balances of which are now $[illegible]. It will be issued in the form of government 4 per cent bonds in sufficient number to yield $25,000,000. A [illegible] of the Senate gives Baron [illegible], who is charged with fraud in connection with the purchase of [illegible] for the famine sufferers, a week to prepare his defence against his proposed prosecution.

Mrs. Cora B. Miller Makes a Fortune

Started a Few Years Ago with No Capital, and Now Employs Nearly One Hundred Clerks and Stenographers.

Until a few years ago Mrs. Cora B. Miller lived in a manner similar to that of thousands of other very poor women of the average small town and village. She now resides in her own palatial brown stone residence, and is considered one of the most successful business women in the United States.

Mrs. Miller's New Residence, Earned in Less Than One Year.

Several years ago Mrs. Miller learned of a mild and simple preparation that cured herself and several friends of female weakness and piles. She was besieged by so many women needing treatment that she decided to furnish it to those who might call for it. She started with only a few dollars' capital, and the remedy, possessing true and wonderful merit, producing many cures when doctors and other remedies failed, the demand grew so rapidly she was several times compelled to seek larger quarters. She now occupies one of the city's largest office buildings, which she owns, and almost one hundred clerks and stenographers are required to assist in this great business.

Million Women Use It.

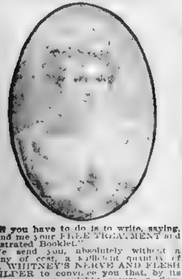
More than a million women have used Mrs. Miller's remedy, and no matter where you live, she can refer you to ladies in your own locality who can and will tell any sufferer that this marvelous remedy really cures women. Despite the fact that Mrs. Miller's business is very extensive, she is always willing to give aid and advice to every suffering woman who writes to her. She is a generous, good woman and has decided to give away to women who have never used her medicine $10,000.00 worth absolutely FREE.

Every woman suffering [illegible] head, back and bowels, bearing [illegible] sensations, creeping sensation [illegible] desire to cry [illegible] from any cause, should [illegible] her name and address to Mrs. Cora B. Miller, Box 4470, Kokomo, Ind., and receive [illegible] free of charge in plain wrapper [illegible] of her marvelous medicine, also her valuable book, which every woman should have.

Remember this offer will [illegible] for thousands and thousands of women [illegible] suffering will take advantage of [illegible] of getting cured. So if you [illegible] do not suffer another day, but send your name and address to Mrs. Miller for the book and medicine before the $10,000.00 worth is all gone.

WHY BE SO THIN?

How to Get a Superb Figure Without Paying a Single Penny.



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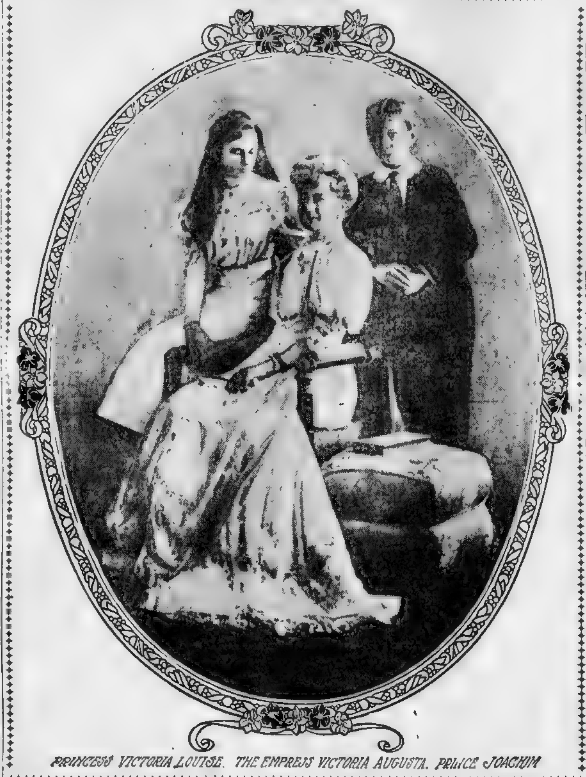
Victoria Augusta Domestic in Tastes

"BABIES" ARE EMPRESS' JOY



PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE. THE EMPRESS VICTORIA AUGUSTA. PRINCE JOACHIM

Empress Victoria Augusta and her two younger children, Princess Victoria Louise and Prince Joachim, to whom she has become more and more devoted as the older ones have left the family circle for broader careers.

Older Children of German Royal Family Have Now Taken Up World Careers.

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Berlin, Feb. 2.—"My youngest children are my consolation," said the Empress Victoria Augusta, "because they [illegible] too young for the world to take away. It is better to be a mother than an empress: all the true happiness in the world grows in the home."

This statement by Emperor William's wife explains why she clings so closely to Prince Joachim and the Princess Victoria Louise, her only daughter and her youngest son. The Princess is fifteen years old and the Prince is seventeen. All the rest of her sons have grown old enough to be called upon for military and political careers, to which they are destined by imperial birth. As she grows older the Empress becomes much more [illegible] in her tastes, although she had [illegible] being a housewife which [illegible].

Has Been a Power in Empire.

She has been a leader of fashion and a political power. Once she was so proud of her figure and of displaying it in fashionable gowns that she seriously impaired her health by tight lacing. It was feared that the corsets which tortured her had affected her lungs and that she was going into a decline.

In politics she was one of Bismarck's most [illegible] foes, and in state circles it was believed that she used potent influence with the Emperor in preventing him from becoming reconciled with the man of "blood and iron," who did so much for German unity and to found the fortunes of the imperial house. But why she detested the great chancellor is a secret. It is thought, however, that he gave her offence long before she attained the throne.

Now that the Empress has silvery hair and her beauty is that of age rather than youth, she has turned, like a peasant woman, to the fireside for comfort. Indeed, she is not so far removed from the people as many monarchs.

Had Peasant Forbears

Seven generations back her forbears were peasants, with no dream of greatness for any descendant.

This is quite a striking circumstance [illegible] the antagonism which the Emperor shows to all marriages between German army officers and humbly born girls. He insists that the women who become [illegible] of the military aristocracy must not [illegible] rich, but have a high bred ancestry [illegible] back to the Dark Ages.

The Empress is looking forward with [illegible] to an autumn outing to be passed with her two youngest children. They are going to Felixstowe together for a few weeks.

COLOR LINE DRAWN; NEGRO BARRED IN BERLIN CAFES.

Movement Started When One Was Hustled Out of a Saloon for 'Making Eyes' at a Petite Barmaid — Boycott Extends

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Berlin, Feb. 2.—The South in the United States is not the only place where the color line is drawn. For the first time, it is recorded, a number of well-known cafes in this city have barred negroes, the result of a colored man "making eyes" at a petite barmaid a few nights ago. He was ejected and a sign posted "No negroes admitted." A number of cafes have followed suit and the boycott promises to be general in the city.

JAPS MAY NOW BUY HAWAIIAN ISLAND FROM GAY.

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Honolulu, Feb. 2.—The Territorial Supreme Court has decided that Governor Carter may exchange Lanai lands for other lands. Senator McCandless, who secured [illegible] preventing the transfer of [illegible], will take the case to the Supreme Court of the United States.

Governor Carter completed the exchange [illegible] government lands in the island of Lanai [illegible] that the decision was rendered [illegible] passed Lanai [illegible] now belongs to [illegible].

The island of Lanai was owned jointly by the government and Charles Gay, the former owning 45,000 acres and Gay 86,000 acres. It has been suggested that an attempt was being made to consolidate the interests of Gay and the government for the purpose of transferring the whole island to the Japanese government. An effort was made by Senator L. L. McCandless and others to obtain an injunction against the sale of the government lands.

RAISULI ESCAPES TO MOUNTAIN RECESSES

Tangier, Feb. 2.—Raisuli has found refuge in the Tazerdit Mountains, a region which is absolutely inaccessible to the soldiers of the Sultan. It is said that the finances of Minister of War Gabbas are almost exhausted, and that he is unable to pay his troops, who are threatening to desert in large numbers.

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MME. GOULD TO RETURN TO AMERICA.

Will Say Good-by to Paris Forever as Soon as She Can Take Sons Away.

FRENCH SOCIETY SNUBS HER SINCE DIVORCE

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Paris, Feb. 3.—Disheartened over her failure to regain the position she once held in Paris society, following her action in divorcing her husband, Mme. Anna Gould, formerly Countess de Castellane, is preparing to dispose of most of her property in Paris, and will return to the United States just as soon as the courts will allow her to take her children out of France.

Mme. Gould has already sold her town house on the Avenue Dubois, and in the future will spend most of her time while in France at her [illegible] palace.

Since Mme. Gould divorced her former husband French society has manifested an aversion to her, declaring she was too [illegible] in dragging Count Boni through the mire of the divorce court.

Now that Mme. Gould [illegible] members of the American colony do not find her nearly as interesting as she was before and they too have snubbed her.

Nursing her sorrow, the brave little American woman, however, is striving to hide her domestic trouble. She believes a trip to her native land will be of great benefit to her, and will sail just as soon as permission is given her to remove her sons from France.

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GENERAL ILLAS ASSASSINS' VICTIM

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Caracas, Venezuela, Feb. 2.—General Luis Mata y Illas, the Governor of Caracas, was assassinated last Monday night by a crowd of intoxicated partisans of Vicente Gomez, the first vice-president of the republic.

Among the assassins was [illegible] Gomez, cousin of the vice president.

The murderers were captured in the mountains and are now in prison here.

Domingo Carvajal was appointed to succeed General Luis Mata y Illas as Governor of Caracas, but he died of heart failure a few hours after being told of his appointment.

HOLD MEMORIAL FOR CHURCH IN HOLLAND

Amsterdam, Feb. 2.—Exercises commemorating the foundation here of the English Reformed Church, which occurred 300 years ago under the reign of James I, were held yesterday. The present pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. [illegible], delivered an address of welcome and expressed thanks to the Holland Society of New York for its contribution of an organ to the new church.

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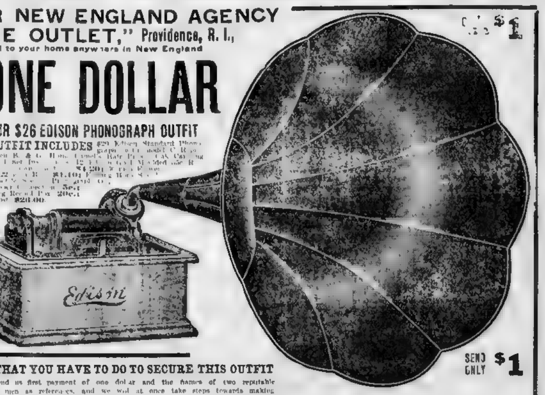

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HODGSON SENDS MESSAGE FROM SPIRIT WORLD.

Friends of Great Psychist Declare They Have Received "Communication."

PROOF INDISPUTABLE OF GENUINENESS, THEY SAY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, Feb. 2. Professor James H. Hyslop announces that he has had "communication" with what claims to be the spirit of Dr. Richard Hodgson.

Dr. Hodgson died December 20, 1905. He was the secretary of the American Society for Psychical Research, and probably the best known investigator of so-called spiritualistic phenomena on this side of the Atlantic

Immediately after his death there was intense interest in the question as to whether he would be able to communicate from the spirit world to those who had been his co-workers in the field to the cultivation of which he had devoted his life.

Through Boston Medium.

The statement of the experiments which involve the apparent Hodgson personality resulting from many sittings had by Professor Hyslop with Mrs. Piper, the celebrated Boston medium. One of the most striking incidents relates the experience of a woman friend of Dr. Hodgson who shortly after the latter's death was having a sitting with Mrs. Piper.

On this occasion what purported to be the spirit of Dr. Hodgson appeared, and in the course of the conversation was asked whether he (Dr. Hodgson) would communicate with her through any other medium.

The reply substantially, according to Professor Hyslop, was: "No, I will not, except through the young light. She is all right. Hyslop understands to whom I refer."

Refers to "Young Light."

Dr Hodgson added that as soon as he recovered from the shock of death he had examined the case of the "Young Light," and had found it all right. When the story was told to Professor Hyslop he at once understood what was meant. It appears that about a year before Dr. Hodgson's death he and Professor Hyslop had been experimenting with a certain young woman, who, they thought, had mediumistic powers, but only the two experimenters, the subject and a few relatives had any knowledge of the case. The term "light," it should be explained, is that used by the trance personality to refer to another medium.

Professor Hyslop declares collusion between Mrs. Piper and the other medium would be impossible.

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And it will do more than that. Every particle of impurity in your stomach and intestines is going to be carried away by the charcoal. No one seems to know why it does this, but it does, and does it wonderfully. You notice that the difference in your appetite, general good feeling, and in the purity of your blood, right away.

You'll have no more bad taste in your mouth or bad breath, either from drinking, eating or smoking. Other people will notice your bad breath quicker than you will yourself. Make your breath pure, fresh and sweet, so when you talk to others you won't disgust them. Just one or two Stuart Charcoal Lozenges will make your breath sweet, and make *you* feel better all over for it. You can eat all the onions and odorous foods you want, and no one can tell the difference.

Besides, charcoal is the best laxative known. You can take a whole boxful and no harm will result. It is a wonderfully easy regulator.

And then, too, it filters your blood,—every particle of poison or impurity in your blood is destroyed, and you begin to notice the difference in your face first thing,—your clear complexion.

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PLAN BRILLIANT FETE FOR POSTAL CLERKS' REUNION

Governor and Mayor Among Invited Guests to Join in Celebrating the 15th Annual.

A red letter night is what the clerks of the Boston Postal District are bending every effort to make their fifteenth annual reunion, given under the auspices of their mutual benefit association. The event will be held in Mechanics' Hall on the night of February 6.

Among the distinguished invited guests are Governor Guild and his staff, Mayor Fitzgerald, the city officials and many men prominent in the State affairs.

The hall will be decorated with a profusion of bunting, streamers, mottoes and national colors. Portraits of President Roosevelt and Postmaster Hibbard will be hung on the platform. The whole scene will be enhanced by a marvellous and artistic arrangement of calcium and incandescent lights.

Clerks in Forty Districts.

The reunion this year will be looked upon, as usual, as a sort of family gathering. It is a difficult thing, for the postal clerks of the district are so widely scattered through the forty districts, to meet together more than once a year; therefore, the reunion is attended with more than ordinary enthusiasm.

After the reception the grand march will be given. The features of this event have not been disclosed, as the committee says it has a surprise in store for the guests. Dancing will be in order after the march.

The proceeds from the reunion will go into the treasury of the benefit association. This organization was formed in 1883 and incorporated a few years later. The association takes care of sick and disabled clerks, as the government makes no provision in such cases for this class of employes. The organization also provides assistance for the widows and orphans of deceased members. Since its inception it has paid out more than $100,000 in sick and death benefits.

Has Over Seven Hundred Members.

At present the association has over seven hundred members. These comprise almost every employe in the postoffice from Postmaster Hibbard down. The heavy work of the organization is done, for the most part, at night, when the clerks have already finished a hard day of labor.

The reunion this year is in charge of a committee of one hundred, with David J. Hartnett as chairman, William H. Driscoll as secretary and D. J. Driscoll as treasurer. These men are ably seconded in their work by the following executive committee: George A. Robertson, chairman; A. H. Cullis, P. J. O'Donnell, C. A. Carolan, Edward F. Medley, C. J. Ford, M. W. Fallon, F. F. Evans, T. M. Ryan, D. J. O'Maley, John F. Ryan and D. J. Costello.

ARREST TWO MORE IN DOCTOR'S DEATH MYSTERY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Two new arrests were made to-day in connection with the case of John Bell who is charged with the murder of Dr. Charles Wilmot Townsend, the leading physician of Staten Island.

The additional prisoners were George Flood, living in Cedar avenue, Brooklyn, and Smuel Bell, the young stepbrother of the prisoner.

They were charged with being accessories to the extent that they took the revolver of Bell from his house, cleaned it and concealed it for a few days. Both were taken before the Staten Island authorities. In view of the fact that both prisoners agreed to make affidavits setting forth the part displayed in concealing the weapon, they were set free on their own recognizance to appear at the inquest on Wednesday.

Bell Sent to Prison.

To-day Bell was sent to the county prison at Richmond. He had a tearful parting with his mother and sisters. They clung to his neck and kissed him repeatedly as they bade him goodbye. The night before all the members of Bell's family had implored him to confess, but he had resisted their entreaties.

The chief link in the chain of evidence against Bell is the fact that he went to Dr. Townsend's home exactly one year after Mrs. Bell had died, under the physician's care. Moreover, Bell waited around the physician's house until the exact hour when his wife died. It was at this time—4 o'clock in the morning—that the physician was shot. The prisoner was apparently happy as he was taken from the West Brighton police station to the county prison.

He talked freely, but avoided making direct statements regarding the crime. When asked about the strange inscription promising an act of revenge upon his wife's tombstone, he replied with a laugh.

"What tombstone do you mean, there are thousands of tombstones and only one that I will not talk about."

"Did you or Mrs. Bell know anything about Dr. Townsend before the last time she was taken ill and the physician sent her to the infirmary?"

"Wouldn't I be a fool to talk about that now?" replied Bell. "Just wait until Mrs. Townsend gets upon the stand and listen to the first question asked by my lawyer."

In connection with this last response made by Bell, a statement made to-day by Fred J. Milligan, counsel for the Bell family, appeared significant.

No Attempt to Identify Bell.

"As nearly as I can find out," said Mr. Milligan, "none of the members of the Townsend family have openly appeared against Bell. Mrs. Townsend has not even tried to identify Bell. I understand that the District Attorney has remarked about this and regarding the fact that Dr. Walser, Mrs. Townsend's brother, made no statement to the authorities.

"Everyone knows there has been a great amount of gossip regarding Dr. Townsend all over Staten Island, since the murder. As Bell's counsel, Mr. Reilly, Mr. Finnegan and myself, wish to have some of these stories cleared up. We believe there may yet be a new clue.

WON WIFE WHEN HE CAPTURED KAISER'S CUP

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, Feb. 2.—A romance of two continents to-day led to the marriage of Paul Morton's daughter, Miss Pauline Morton, to J. Hopkins Smith, Jr., who first won favor in the eyes of the young woman by winning the Kaiser's cup race at Kiel three years ago.

The marriage, one of the greatest social events of the year, took place at St. Thomas's Episcopal Church, on Fifth avenue.

Not alone did Miss Morton carry to its culmination a pretty love story that official Washington has watched with deep interest, but she also fulfilled a girlhood compact by having as her maid of honor Miss Mary Canby. When they were little girls in short dresses in Chicago they were chums, and one day promised each other that the one who married first would have the other as maid of honor.

A Matrimonial Prize.

Miss Morton is a matrimonial prize in which Washington displayed the deepest interest while her father was a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet. Because of the insistence of some of the marriageable young men, the former secretary of the navy had to issue an edict to the effect that he didn't want his daughter married until she had a fair chance to form some opinions of her own regarding society. At that time Thomas Chalmers, a Chicago millionaire, was her suitor, and it was believed the engagement would be announced. Mr. Morton had a quiet little talk, and Chalmers agreed not to press his suit until one full social season had passed.

During that season Miss Morton made many acquaintances, including Mr Smith, and she lost interest in her former suitor. The year changed her into a very beautiful young woman, and although other young men had ambitions, Mr. Smith was too constant to give them much chance.

When he won the Kaiser's cup the matter was settled. Miss Morton fell deeply in love with him, and they would probably have been married immediately had not Mr Morton counselled delay.

Besides Miss Canby as maid of honor, Miss Morton was attended by Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Elkins of Philadelphia; Miss Emily Ames of Chicago, Miss Jean Oliver of Pittsburg, Miss Florence Howland of Washington, and Miss Martha McCook and Miss Lilly Page of New York City, as bridesmaids.

Bride's Gown.

The bride's gown was of white satin, empire style, with point lace bodice and skirt trimmed in bands of satin. Her long tulle veil was caught with orange blossoms, and she carried an empire bouquet of white orchids and white lilacs.

Miss Canby wore pale blue chiffon over satin empire gown and carried white lilacs. Her big picture hat was blue with a long plume. The bridesmaids were in white chiffon with blue sashes. They wore white satin picture hats with drooping plumes. Their bouquets were white lilacs and pink roses.

VORENBERG HOME FROM CUBAN TOUR

S. Vorenberg, president of the S. Vorenberg Company, has just returned to Boston from a two months' tour, during which he visited the principal cities and provinces in Cuba. Mr. Vorenberg and party while in Havana received many flattering social attentions at the hands of Havana's most distinguished merchants.

GEORGETOWN GRADS CHEER ALMA MATER

"Old grads" of Georgetown University from every corner of New England gathered at Young's Hotel last evening to pay homage to their Alma Mater in cheer and song, the occasion being the annual banquet of the Georgetown University Club of New England.

Prominent among the celebrities p[illegible] were Rev. Dr. Buel, president of Georgetown University, also two ex-presidents of the University in the person of Rev. John D. Whitney and Rev. Haven Richards.

Speeches were made by Judge James Fallen of South Boston, Judge DeCourcey, John D. McLaughlin, assistant corporation counsel of the city of Boston; Rev. Dr. Buel, Rev. John D. Whitney, Rev. Haven Richards and others.

TOWN SWEPT BY FIRE.

Dallas, Texas., Feb. 2.—The south side of the public square comprising many business houses at Caddo, I. T., was destroyed by fire to-day. The loss on stock and buildings reaches one hundred thousand d[illegible]

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LEADERS AMONG POSTAL CLERKS PLANNING FOR 15TH ANNUAL REUNION

LOBBYISTS AT STATE HOUSE IN FORCE.

"Jake" Wardwell, "The King," and His Satellites Begin Work of "Seeing" Members.

"FEELING" PROCESS ON BY CORPORATION TOOLS

Unleashed by their masters, the managers of the public-service corporations, the pack of lobbyists are now sniffing about the corridors of the State House and "seeing" members of the Legislature at the hotels and other convenient places on matters of legislation that are to be considered by the Great and General Court for 1907.

J. Otis Wardwell of Haverhill and Boston, familiarly known as "Jake" and sometimes referred to as "the king of the lobby," has paid a few visits to the solons at committee meetings. He is especially interested in Boston elevated and gas and electric lighting matters, and incidentally alert to the moves that affect the American Tobacco Company, so it is said.

William H. Coolidge, the versatile "Billy," has not been much in evidence, but his understudy, "Bob" Southworth, has been on deck. They make complete reports of the "feeling" of the Legislature on all matters affecting the Boston & Maine railroad.

"Sunday School" Fernald Busy.

George S. Fernald, the "Sunday school" member from Worcester, who looks after the Boston & Albany railroad for the New York Central lessees, realizes that he will have his hands full this session, and is doing more than the usual flitting stunt among the members of the two houses from the country districts.

With the Coyle order for an investigation of the Boston & Albany service to the end that the lease with the State may be annulled, the Dean bill for the taking over of the railroad by the State, the Vahey bill along similar lines and other legislative drives at the railroad, Fernald will probably not have time for side lines.

Frank Ladd Earns His Money.

Frank Ladd of Lowell attends to the affairs of the Massachusetts Electric Railway Association's work and comes nearer to earning his money than any of the bunch. Among the old, familiar free lances who are again on the scene are "Jack" Fleming, "Jack" Alabee, Henry Bowden, Walter J. Bullock and "Ben" Gibbey. Bullock has a standing job every year to guard the interests of the textile manufacturers.

Gibbey generally looks after the matters in which Henry M. Whitney is interested.

Too Early for Heavy Men.

It is too early in the game for Everett W. Burdett, for the lighting companies, Colonel Benton and Charlie Choate for the New York, New Haven & Hartford, Sam Powers, Ned Hall and Frank Dickerman for the telephone company, and the other bright lights of the legislative hearings to appear.

ACTRESS MAY SUE "JACK" GALLATIN

"Jack" Gallatin, the well known New York society man, who, on Thursday evening, married Ida, the second daughter of "Al" Adams, the policy king at Providence, is already threatened with a suit for breach of promise.

Miss Ethel Kelley, of New York, an actress, says a dispatch to the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, announces that she will seek damages from the dashing young clubman, declaring that she has been engaged to wed Gallatin for three and a half years, and that the ceremony was to have occurred this month.

WILL CONSIDER BILL FOR A BOSTON "LEXOW"

Representative Webster Favors Independence League Man on Commission.

To-morrow morning the committee on metropolitan affairs of the Legislature will meet in executive session to make up the report on the Webster and Berry Vinson bills for an investigation of the financial condition and methods of the city of Boston.

"You may quote me as saying and as believing that an investigation which commands the highest respect of the community and insures the greatest publicity, is the one desirable thing," said Representative Walter A. Webster to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter.

"And with that view in mind, I would not oppose an amendment to my bill which would allow Governor Guild to appoint from the three leading political parties—the Republican, the Democratic and the Independence League. I will even submit to the committee, as a matter of courtesy, my request for such an amendment, notwithstanding the fact that the hearings on the bills have been closed.

Remove Partisan Objection.

"The only argument against the investigation by a commission named by the Governor is that it would be a partisan inquiry for party effect—a Republican probing of Democratic Boston. I want the partisan objection removed and the utmost fairness to prevail.

"Therefore, while I won't say that I will advocate a change in my bill, I will admit that the appointment of a commission of five, composed of two Republicans, two Democrats and one Independence League man, would entirely remove the idea of a partisan investigation from the public mind, or, at least, should do so. I think, moreover, that the showing made by the Independence League in the last State election entitles it to recognition according to its political standing, and I would not feel badly if one of the proposed investigating commission of five should be a League man. I can see where such a commission would, to a large extent, eliminate the claim that the proposition is a Republican party scheme."

Will Uphold Bill.

Representative Webster is house chairman of the metropolitan affairs committee. His bill calls for a general investigation of Boston's financial condition and methods. The Berry Vinson bill, promoted by ex-Senator John K. Berry and ex-Representative Thomas Vinson specifies certain lines of probing. It is generally understood at the State House that the Webster bill, modified in some details, will be favorably reported.

It is said that Mayor Fitzgerald is finding it to be hard work to induce the various business, improvement and labor organizations to take his proposed inquiry seriously, and none has as yet accepted his invitation to nominate members of the commission.

The heart-to-heart conference, specially invited, in the Mayor's office yesterday did nothing more than form a temporary, imperfect organization by the acclamation nomination of a chairman and secretary.

N.Y. RECOUNT TO BE ORDERED BY LEGISLATURE

McClellan Reign by Fraud in Metropolis Doomed by Sentiment In Assembly.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 2.—"The Prentice bill, providing specifically for a recount of the votes cast at the New York city mayoralty election of 1905, will, it is believed, be passed by this Legislature.

"The bill I am preparing will deal merely with future election contests. It seems to be generally agreed that the McClellan controversy should be disposed of as an entirely separate proposition."

This announcement was made this afternoon by President Pro Tem John Raines of the Senate.

It is understood that the plan was finally determined upon after a conference between him and Governor Hughes.

Governor Hughes and the Republican leaders of both houses have placed themselves publicly on record for the opening of the ballot boxes, and Charles F. Murphy has asked his political allies in the Legislature to support the proposition.

McClellan has but a single spokesman in the Assembly and none in the Senate. Therefore such opposition as he can command will, it is believed, prove farcical.

B. & M. HOLDS UP ANTI-PASS BILL.

"Leaders" in Granite State, Led by Legislative Chairman, Seek Its Defeat.

Concord, N. H., Feb. 2. "My committee will not be hurried in reporting upon the new Pass Bill as it was in the case of the first introduced by the judiciary committee," says James E. French of Moultonboro, railroad leader and chairman of the appropriations committee, which now has the new Anti-Pass Bill in its hands for consideration. "We shall take time to consider it thoroughly and have something satisfactory before we shall turn the matter back to the House."

In this statement is summed up the method of warfare now being pursued by the supporters of the Boston & Maine Railroad in the fight to retain the pass—the most powerful of the sinews of legislative war in New Hampshire.

Delay is the watchword universally used by the gang which "Uncle" John Sanborn, a former boss, used to call "our people."

$40,000,000

American Telephone & Telegraph Company

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DUE MARCH 1, 1936

Attention is called to the letter of Mr. F. P. Fish, President, which, among other things, states that the bonds are convertible at par, at the option of the holder, into common stock at $140 per share after March 1, 1909, and before March 1, 1918, and in the meantime up to thirty days prior to the date of redemption named in any redemption call. If additional stock is issued or sold at a price averaging less than $140 per share, Bondholders will have the benefit of a reduced conversion price.

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Referring to the Above, the Undersigned Offer for Public Subscription the Above Bonds
AT THE PRICE OF 92½% AND ACCRUED INTEREST
To Date of Full Payment, Payable in Instalments as Follows:

On application $50 per $1,000 Bond
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The subscription list will be opened at 10 A. M. on Tuesday, February 5, 1907, and will be closed at or before 3 P. M. the same day.

Under date of January 26, 1907, Mr. F. P. Fish, President of the Company, writes us in part as follows:

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company owns directly the long distance telephone lines, and is the owner of shares of the capital stock in about forty companies operating throughout the United States and Canada, holding, except in a few instances, a controlling interest.

The Company's capital stock at present outstanding in the hands of the public is $131,551,400.

The number of telephone subscribers' stations operated in the United States by this Company and by the companies to which its telephones are leased has been as follows:

1902	1903	1904	1905	1906 (*Dec. Est.*)
1,399,941	1,683,087	2,003,213	2,528,715	3,054,000

The number of miles of wire owned by this Company and its associated companies is approximately: Exchange, 6,100,000; toll, 1,400,000; making a total of 7,500,000, of which 3,300,000 miles of exchange wire are in underground conduits.

The American Telephone and Telegraph Company paid dividends each year from April, 1900, to July, 1906, at the rate of seven and one-half per cent. per year, and its predecessor, the American Bell Telephone Company, paid dividends at an equivalent or greater rate each year from 1884 to 1900.

Net earnings for the year 1906, after paying operating expenses, interest and taxes.................... $12,783,465.73

The book-keeping and accounting are on conservative lines and in my opinion the position and the prospects of the Company have improved from year to year and I will continue to do so.

For further details regarding the above Bonds, reference is made to the Trust Indenture under which they are issued, and to the letter from Mr. F. P. Fish, President of the Company, copies of which may be obtained at the offices of the undersigned.

A simultaneous public issue of the above Bonds is being made by Messrs. Baring Brothers & Co., Ltd., and Messrs. J. S. Morgan & Co., in London, and by Messrs. Hope & Co., in Amsterdam.

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NEW YORK AND BOSTON, January 30, 1907.

SWIFT PUNISHMENT IS METED OUT BY LEAGUE ON TRAITOR ALDERMEN

EXPEL MEN WHO BETRAYED PARTY TO POLITICIANS

Scathing Rebuke Administered to New York Deserters Who Became Turncoats.

FURTHER ACTION PLANNED

League's Scathing Rebuke to Traitor Aldermen.

> **"WHEREAS, such a vote was a flagrant betrayal of the Independence League and the confidence of the citizens of this county, who elected these Aldermen to office, therefore be it**
>
> **"Resolved, That in the opinion of this county committee, Joseph M. Torpey, Charles Kunze, John T. Cronin and Thomas Mulligan have by their vote for recorder forfeited their membership in the Municipal League and should be formally expelled from membership.**
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> **" * * * * The action of the League Aldermen in the vote for recorder meets with the stern condemnation of the Independence League as an act opposed to good political morals, violative of the principles of this organization and repugnant to the citizenship's sense of common decency."**—*From the resolutions adopted by the county committee of the Independence League, condemning in severest terms the betrayal of the principles of the League by New York Aldermen.*

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Summary punishment is being visited by the Independence League on every one of the aldermen concerned in the recent recordership scandal. Scarcely had it become known how unworthy were the aldermen who betrayed their party when the work of throwing them out of the Municipal Ownership League and ending their connection with the Independence League began.

Resolutions have been passed by the county committee which during the past few days have been endorsed by many of the district organizations, and inside of a week it is expected that every district organization will have taken similar action.

The aldermen who endeavored to use the league as a cloak to protect themselves after they had voted for the candidates of another party found that the Independence League was unwilling to stand by them for a moment when the scandalous exposure was made. The only thought of the league leaders was to give the aldermen a fair chance to make an explanation so they might not be made the victims of any political plot, but the instant it was understood that no sufficient explanation could be made the sentiment of the entire league was to get rid of them.

Seize on Incident.

One of the misapprehensions on the part of the public that the league has had to deal with was that for political reasons some of the newspapers called all of the aldermen whose names were mentioned in connection with the bribery Municipal Ownership aldermen. Those who are really league aldermen have been getting their just deserts ever since it was possible to get together leaders of the League after the exposure, but the others have no connection with the League, having been either Republican or Democratic aldermen who received a Municipal Ownership indorsement.

The present and proposed action against the aldermen by the league concerns those who have actually been affiliated with the league, some of them having been district or county officers. Thus far the league in Brooklyn has been making some investigations, and during the present week decisive action is likely to be taken there. Some of the M O L men who became affiliated with the Independence League were astonished at the rapidity with which a meeting of the county committee of that organization was called together and the following resolution passed.

Expelled from League.

Whereas, Messrs. Joseph M. Torpey, Charles Kunze, John T. Cronin and Thomas Mulligan, aldermen of the city of New York, representing the County of New York, did at the recent election for recorder vote for a candidate other than a member of the Independence League, the successor of the Municipal Ownership League,

Whereas, such a vote was unjustified from any public or organization standpoint and based on reasons known only to the aldermen and probably discreditable;

Whereas, such vote was a flagrant betrayal of the Independence League and the confidence of the citizens of this county who elected these men to office, therefore, be it

Resolved, that in the opinion of this county committee Messrs. Joseph M. Torpey, Charles Kunze, John T. Cronin and Thomas Mulligan have by their vote for recorder forfeited their membership in the Municipal Ownership or Independence League, and that it is the sense of this committee that such aldermen be formally expelled from membership in this organization, and be it further

Resolved, that this county committee requests the executive committee of the Independence League to expunge the names of such aldermen from the rolls of the organization, thus make vacant such official positions in the league as they may occupy.

Resolved, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the executive committee and furnished the press, with a view to securing the fullest publicity and enabling the people in general to learn that the action of the league aldermen in the vote for recorder meets with the stern condemnation of the Independence League as an act opposed to good political morals, violative of the principles of the organization and repugnant to the citizenship's sense of common decency.

Members Approve.

The passage of this resolution met with the approval of the entire league, and members in every part of the city have communicated with the committee either personally or by mail to let them know that they think it the best illustration of political honesty shown in New York in many years. Friends of the aldermen had boasted that they would be kept in the league and that they would find a way to squirm out of their difficulty. While desiring to be fair in every way the committee felt that these men by voting for Recorder McAvoy were guilty of the worst kind of political treachery, the sort of thing which the league has repeatedly condemned in other officeholders.

Every one of them was practically expelled the moment it became known that they were ready to sacrifice the league candidate in the recordership election, but the sense of the league was to wait and see just how they would cast their votes. They were doomed as league members the moment their votes went for McAvoy, and on the ground that they had thus betrayed the confidence imposed in them steps were at once taken to put them out of the party so that it would never again be possible for them to do anything that might be discreditable to the league.

"We do not want officials in our party whom we and the public cannot trust," was the expression heard in every league district organization.

"If these men, elected by us, have so little regard for political honesty that they will vote against our candidate, whatever their reasons may be, we must throw them out," argued the league members.

Actions Repudiated.

The county committee, however, had already begun its plans to deal with the discredited aldermen, and fully a week ago the committee met and by passing the resolutions printed above practically put the men beyond the pale. Then the district organizations began their meetings, and it was seen that the rapidity of the league leaders in repudiating the men and getting rid of them for all time was approved on every side. The Twenty-first and Twenty-third District organizations met jointly and passed the following resolutions:

Whereas, the members of the Board of Aldermen elected in 1905 on the Municipal Ownership ticket have betrayed the trust imposed upon them by the people who elected them, and,

Whereas, so that it may be made plain to the great and honest mass of the voters of our party that the conduct of the aldermen is repudiated and condemned by the Independence League, and,

Whereas, it is a humiliation to all citizens to have any public servant act in such a manner as have these aldermen, and especially is it so to the members of a party under whose name and principles such men insinuate themselves into public office;

Therefore, be it resolved, that we, the members of the Independence League of the Twenty-first and Twenti-third Assembly Districts, hereby emphatically condemn and repudiate the action of the Municipal Ownership members of the Board of Aldermen in the recordership matter, and,

Be it further resolved, that we also condemn the act of the Republican members of the Board of Aldermen (many of whom were elected by municipal ownership endorsement), whose course has been characterized by the narrowest partisanship and personal ambitions, and has placed them in the same unworthy attitude that the Tammany representatives in the Board have consistently maintained.

Commend League

Such a positive endorsement of what the county committee had done left doubts in the minds of the aldermen as to what their fate would be. It was something new in politics and yet the great mass of voters in the city who learned of what the league was doing sympathized with it in every way.

Independent thinkers in all parties were open in their expressions that it was a frank and manly thing for the league to do. It had not required any outside criticism to get the county committee to act, showing that it was vigilant and alert in the interests of the league's good name.

There are other M. O. L. aldermen whose names were not mentioned in the New York County committee resolution only because the committee could not deal with them. Hamilton M. Leverett, one of the aldermen who voted for McAvoy, not being affiliated with the county committee, was not included, although it is said that another way will be found to deal with him very shortly.

Clifford, the alderman who was arrested for accepting the bribe money, was not included in the resolutions for the reasons that he never had any connection with the league. He was a Republican who has received a league endorsement and aside from that he was distinctly a follower of Bermel, the anti-Hearst leader in Queens. Not being in the league, the county committee could do nothing to expel him.

The various Independence League organizations throughout the greater city are preparing to give the voters another and stronger illustration of dealing with the aldermen and several sensations are likely to develop in this connection within the next few days.

Yesterday, various district organizations in the county committee were busy submitting resolutions that had been suggested for passing and as rapidly as the various organizations have gone through the official form of making the endorsements of the committee, that they have already given verbally, the resolutions will be forwarded to the county committee.

District Resolutions.

The Fourteenth, Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth Assembly Districts are among the organizations that have already filed their resolutions at headquarters and these resolutions are as follows:

Fourteenth Assembly District—

Resolved, That we, the Independence League of William Randolph Hearst's home district, indorse the action of the State Committee in electing him Chairman.

Resolved, That we recognize Charles E. Gehring as the newly elected Chairman of the New York County Committee, and his election is hereby heartily approved.

Resolved, That we indorse the action taken by the County Committee in expelling from the Independence League the four aldermen who were traitorous to their constituents.

Thirty-second Assembly District—

Resolved, That this club heartily appreciates the acceptance by the Hon. William R. Hearst of the State chairmanship of the Independence League, and hereby renews its warm approval of the principles of the league, as well as its unflinching support of Mr. Hearst.

Resolved, That this club also indorses with satisfaction the election of Mr. Charles E. Gehring as chairman of the county committee, and hereby pledges him its hearty support in all his labors for the furtherance of the principle of the Independence League.

Resolved, That this club hereby selects William O'Gorman of No. 678 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and Michael J. Mack of West Chester road, Williamsburg, as members of the county committee of the Independence League, William O'Gorman to represent that portion of the Thirty-second Assembly District lying west of the Bronx river, and Mr. Mack that portion of the Thirty-second Assembly District lying east of the Bronx river.

Thirty-fifth Assembly District—

Whereas, the New York County Committee of the Independence League, of which Mr. Charles E. Gehring is Chairman, has unanimously passed resolutions repudiating the action of the aldermen who voted for Recorder McAvoy, and expelling them from the Independence League, therefore be it

Resolved, That the regular Independence League of the Thirty-fifth Assembly District heartily indorse and approve the said unanimous action of the County Committee in expelling said aldermen, as men who have betrayed their constituents and are unworthy of continued membership in the Independence League.

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London, 9th Aug., 1905.

I have analyzed most carefully a box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I bought myself at a city chemist's shop for the purpose), manufactured by the F. A. Stuart Co., Temple Chambers, London, E. C., and have to report that I cannot find any trace of vegetable or mineral poisons. Knowing the ingredients of the tablets, I am of opinion that they are admirably adaptable for the purpose for which they are intended.

(Signed) John R. Brooke, F. I. C., F. C. S.

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FIRST SPIKE IN NEW AIR LINE IS DRIVEN.

Big Crowd Sees Opening of New York-Chicago Electric Railroad.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY HELD AT LAPORTE, IND.

Laporte, Ind., Feb. 2.—At exactly three minutes to three this afternoon J. D. Price, president of the construction company, with nine strokes drove the first spike in the track of the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line Railroad. A large crowd witnessed the ceremony, including President A. C. Miller of the Air Line, the directors of the road and citizens of Laporte.

A number of prominent people interested in the air line were also on hand from Chicago, Cleveland, New York, Boston, St. Louis and other cities, a special car arriving here on the 12 o'clock Lake Shore train from Chicago bringing most of the visitors.

Cheers From Crowd.

As the first spike was driven home the crowd gave cheer after cheer for the new enterprise, which is not only to give ten-hour service between Chicago and New York, but will connect Chicago with the great electric systems of Ohio and Indiana with through sleeping car service to Cincinnati, Columbus, Dayton, Cleveland and other cities.

Since ground was broken here for the air line last September the work has been pushed rapidly and President Miller says the road will be in Chicago before this time next year. Over sixteen miles of eighty-five-pound steel rails are on the ground now, also ties and many miles have been graded. The branch track through Laporte connecting this city with the main line is well underway, several blocks being practically completed. President Miller states that he is not ready to announce the terminal arms in Chicago yet, but says that several good propositions are being entertained, and there will be no difficulty in reaching the heart of the city with the air line trains.

Enterprise Is Unique.

The Chicago-New York air line is unique in that the money for the enterprise is not coming from Wall Street or the big financiers of the country, but is being furnished by the people, over 10,000 stockholders now being on the books of the company.

As soon as Spring opens, construction work will be pushed rapidly and the track is expected to be built into Chicago by September.

WATSON'S NEW MAGAZINE TEACHES TRUE DEMOCRACY

"Jeffersonian" Will Be Used to Promote Many Great National Reforms.

Determined to preach the true principles of Democracy, Tom Watson, once Populist candidate for the presidency, has started a new magazine under the name of Watson's Jeffersonian Magazine. He found, in his former magazine experience, that by having outside capital in his venture he was not to be allowed to give full expression to his thoughts, and that led to his resigning the editorship of Tom Watson's Magazine and the subsequent abandonment of that publication.

In his new venture, which is meeting with the greatest success from the start, he is entirely alone. Watson's Jeffersonian Magazine is founded by him and every cent represented in it is his personal investment. He further says that he will not ask any outside capital for the reason that he wants to have a publication in which he will be free at all times to say exactly what he has in mind about any great public question.

Headquarters at Atlanta.

Subscriptions to the new magazine have been pouring into the office he has established in Atlanta, Ga., and the greatest political thinkers in the country have evinced their deep interest in what he may have to say by subscribing in time to get the first issue.

The presses have just turned out the initial edition of the magazine, and it is jammed full of the readable and yet deeply thoughtful material for which Watson's pen has become so famous.

That there may be no confusion about the change in his publications it is made clear that the first magazine which was printed in New York was dropped by the company that owned it because it was impossible to make it go after Watson had quit. The Jeffersonian is in no way connected with the old magazine and none of the persons that were interested in the New York magazine are interested in any way in the Atlanta publication.

Mr. Watson made a great personal success in his conduct of the old magazine and had it not been for the influences which led to his resignation the readers of the old magazine would undoubtedly have continued to give it the same hearty support that they did at the start. The magazine was read because it was Tom Watson's, and because the subscribers wanted to read everything Watson had to say. Those financially interested in the publication were too short sighted to understand this and one of the stories told was that there had been a quarrel because there was too much Tom Watson in it. The day Mr. Watson quit, however, the magazine was doomed and then the other stockholders realized to their sorrow that the magazine's readers had wanted Watson and him only.

In the Jeffersonian he will continue to use his clever pen in behalf of the right and to urge the great national reform which he sees is a growing necessity. Those who know Watson understand thoroughly that he is sincere in everything he says or does and has never yet given expression to any idea that he has not first made a thorough study of.

People Should Have Say.

He believes that our government is not representative of the people, and that the people should have a say in everything that regards the public welfare. Like most of the other great leaders, he is firm in his belief that the United States Senate should be elected by the direct votes of the people, and he has given some of the very best reasons ever given to prove his case.

Mr. Watson is also a believer in the government ownership of public utilities, and half of his fight in life is to place under government control the things which are used under private ownership to work harm to the country.

SEND THE NEWS TO 'TEDDY;' 3 SETS OF HUSKY TWINS

Washington Court House, Ohio, Feb. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. William Allen, living near Sedalia, are certainly entitled to special recognition from President Roosevelt.

Within the past two years and six months six children have been born to them.

Thirty months ago Mrs. Allen gave birth to twins. Twelve months later another pair of twins came to the Allen house, and now a third set of twins are on hand. This is an average of one child for every five months of wedded life.

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$35 SUITS of novelty mixtures, black and gray stripes men's wear cloth—reduced to.. $13.75
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Extra heavy imported LINEN DAMASK, pure white, extra wide, grass bleached, 5 pretty patterns, actually worth and sold at 59c. Monday's special price, a yard.......... 39¢
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10c Sheeting 6½c
UNBLEACHED COTTON, 40 inches wide, soft finish; a nice clean sheeting that washes well, at less than mill cost. For Monday, yard.......... 6½¢

10c Towels 6¼c
BLEACHED HUCK TOWELS, red borders, large size, 18x36, hemmed ready for use, at the ridiculously low price, each 6¼¢

BLEACHED SHEETING, 2¼ yards wide, good quality, worth 25c, special at, a yard...... 21¢
GLASS TOWELING, red or blue check, fast colors, 5c quality, for, a yard .... 3¢
SHAKER FLANNEL, soft and fleecy, good quality, reduced from 6¼ to, a yard.......... 4¢
Lace stripe WHITE MUSLINS and CHECK NAINSOOKS, worth from 8c to 10c, special at, a yard .... 5½¢
6¼c DRESS GINGHAMS and PLAIN CHAMBRAYS at half price, a yard. No mail orders. 3½¢
PILLOW CASES, size 42x36, 3-in. hems, made of a nice clean cotton, an actual 15c value, at...... 11¢
Percaline DRESS LININGS, short lengths of the 12½c quality, mostly all colors, at, a yard...... 5¢
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Vanilla Cream Wafers, lb.. 9¢
Baby Pretzels, per lb...... 8¢
Ginger Snaps, per lb....... 4½¢
Mixed Vanilla Cakes, per lb. 8¢
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CORNED FLANKS BEEF per lb. 5c
PIGS' TONGUES sugar cured, lb. 10c
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GRANULATED YELLOW MEAL —Fresh from the mill, special price 12 lbs. for.. 25¢
HAMS — Finest sugar cured, small and lean, government inspected, regular 16c kind, our special price, per lb. ... 13½¢
(Limit, 2 to each purchaser.)
SIRLOIN STEAKS — Best cuts, per lb.. 18¢
FIGS — Extra large, thin skin, regular 20c kind, our price, per lb. .... 15¢
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CURRANTS — Recleaned, extra fine quality, regular 12c kind, special, 3 packages for .... 25¢
FLOUR — Quaker Patent family flour, second to none in quality, special price, bbl., $5.24, ⅛ bbl. sacks ...... 67¢
SPINACH—Fancy garden grown, "Victory Brand," large 20c cans, our price.... 14¢
RIB LAMB CHOPS—lb.. 20¢
TOMATO CATSUP — Curtice Bros.' Blue Labels, regular 25c bottle, our special price, Monday and Tuesday .... 19¢
RIB STEAKS — Best cuts, per lb., 12½¢
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There is NOTHING TOO GOOD for the American people—that's why we started to make Cascarets Candy Cathartic. The first box made its appearance in 1896, and the enthusiastic endorsement of the people has been bestowed upon Cascarets ever since. The sale today is at the rate of OVER A MILLION BOXES A MONTH, proving that the American people recognize, that what is BEST FOR THEM is none too good.

Why this enormous patronage?

The answer is simple: Cascarets are pure, clean, sweet, mild, fragrant, harmless but effective little tablets for the treatment and cure of Constipation and all Bowel Troubles. They are put up in neat little enamel boxes, easy to buy, easy to carry (in vest-pocket or purse), easy to take and easy of action, always reliable, always the same, they "work while you sleep" and wake you up feeling fine in the morning.

They not only regulate the movement and stimulate the muscular walls of the bowels, but they keep the ENTIRE CANAL CLEAN and antiseptic, forcing out and destroying all disease germs that breed in the accumulated filth unless promptly and regularly discharged. Therefore, they are a great preventive of disease, and may be taken continuously as a precautionary measure.

The new Pure Drugs Act, adopted by Congress on June 30, 1906, and in effect January 1, 1907, is a GOOD LAW and means better and PURER drugs for the American People. We endorse it and will live up to it in SPIRIT and LETTER,—an easy task, as we have always been actuated by the same principles and no changes are required in our formula or package.

We adopted OUR OWN PURE DRUG LAW in 1896 when the first box of Cascarets came on the market, and have lived and worked and produced under it ever since.

To-day, after a record of nearly 100,000,000 boxes sold, Cascarets STAND the greater in PURITY, QUALITY and MEDICINAL MERIT than any other preparation for Bowel trouble in all the world.

This should be a great argument for any one, to try Cascarets AT ONCE, and be healthier and happier for it. Some people have CHRONIC CONSTIPATION with all the horrors derived from it; others have HABITUAL CONSTIPATION from carelessness and neglect, but nearly EVERYBODY has OCCASIONAL CONSTIPATION, which, if not promptly taken care of, is liable to result in its degeneration into the worse forms and cause great suffering and perhaps death.

Cascarets, if taken patiently and regularly, will remedy all of these awful troubles, but if taken promptly at the very first sign of an irregularity of the Bowels, will act as the FINEST PREVENTIVE ever discovered and will keep all the machinery running in good order.

We advise you to get a little 10c box of Cascarets TO-DAY and carry it in your purse or vest pocket. Take one when you feel anything unusual about your bowels. Your own druggist will sell you the little box, under GUARANTY of satisfaction or money refunded. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c.

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EMBARGO IS LIFTED BY B. & A.

New York Central's High Panjandrum, Newman, However, Snubs Boston.

THEN SENDS FOR "VAN" TO TALK MATTERS OVER

"Public Be D—d" Road Frightened to Action by Bay State Protests.

PEOPLE'S DEMANDS BORE THE NEW YORK MAGNATE

What Business Is It of Theirs How Traffic Is Managed to Make Dividends?

LATE yesterday afternoon the announcement came to Boston that the embargo against Boston freight of the Boston & Albany Railroad had been lifted.

Whether President W. H. Newman of the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company, lessee of the Boston & Albany, considers the lifting of the embargo that was placed against freight for Boston almost a week ago, is sufficient reply to the letters from the merchants' associations of Boston and from Mayor John F. Fitzgerald, asking that he come here to investigate conditions, remains to be seen.

At present, the Mayor of Boston and merchant bodies are practically ignored by the head of the New York Central. He has deigned no prompt reply to courteously worded invitations to come to Boston and to study the conditions now prevailing on the Boston & Albany railroad.

The BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN, desiring to secure President Newman's intentions from him directly, sent a special staff reporter to seek an interview, and thus end the uncertainty which exists now in Boston as to whether its Mayor and foremost merchants and steamship shippers are to be unceremoniously ignored by the head of a great railroad. What the reporter ascertained follows.

By Frederick C. Spayde.

New York, Feb. 2.—President W. H. Newman of the New York Central Railroad, responsible head of the Boston & Albany, and Vice-President Edgar Van Etten, in charge of the Boston & Albany with headquarters in Boston, were in conference between 10 a. m. and 1 p. m. to-day in President Newman's offices on the second floor of the Grand Central station, discussing the demand of the merchants of Boston that Mr. Newman come to Boston and find out just how badly Mr. Van Etten has been running the road's passenger trains and the freight business, from the standpoint of the public and of the man who pays the bills.

At the close of the conference Mr. Van Etten, President Newman calls him "Van," left the offices smoking a big, black cigar, and the president sent out this word, through a stenographer, which the latter dutifully repeated, as follows:

"President Newman says that he is too busy to see you and that he hasn't anything to say about the Boston & Albany situation anyway. He says he has just received Mayor Fitzgerald's letter and hasn't had time to take up the matter yet."

"Will President Newman come to Boston?"

"I can't say anything but just what the President told me, and I have already told you that," said the stenographer.

The stenographer stood under a photograph of the elder Vanderbilt.

This is the one who once made this pointed remark:

"The public be ——."

This remark means in railroad history what that famous one of Tweed's means in politics—"Well, what are you going to do about it?"

President Newman and Van Etten were in and out of the president's offices several times during the morning, Newman carrying many large tissue maps and letters in his hand and continually calling on "Van."

It was "Van" here and "Van" there.

Dividends have been plenty since Van Etten has run the Boston & Albany. The men whose pictures cover the walls of the president's outer office—George Gould, Chauncey M. Depew, Chairman of the New York Central's board of directors, also known to the public as the "blighted peach," in fact, all the railroad kings identified with the Gould lines and all the past and present directors of the road—all these be-pictured men like dividends. Newman brings the dividends to them. Van Etten brings them from Boston to Newman, hence Van Etten is "Van" to Newman.

How About the Public?

The public? Where does the public come in. Look you on the picture over the door leading to the President's room of the elder Vanderbilt.

It was the "Public-be——" railroad then. It is the "Public-be——" railroad now, unless the signs of the times are wrong.

Over here in New York the Central is known as the road which kills people, mangles them up by the scores in tunnels and dark places, where the bodies can't be counted quickly and where the debris can be hustled away. Then the road hoots the public and goes on rolling up the dividends and the death rate.

It has been standing by and letting this little dividend maker of the New York Central run its passenger trains on any old time it chose, sometimes getting somewhere, more often not, until finally, the bills of Dean of Wakefield and Valley of Watertown came—pop—into the Legislature this session asking the State to cancel the lease of the New York Central over the Boston & Albany.

Merchants Are Aroused.

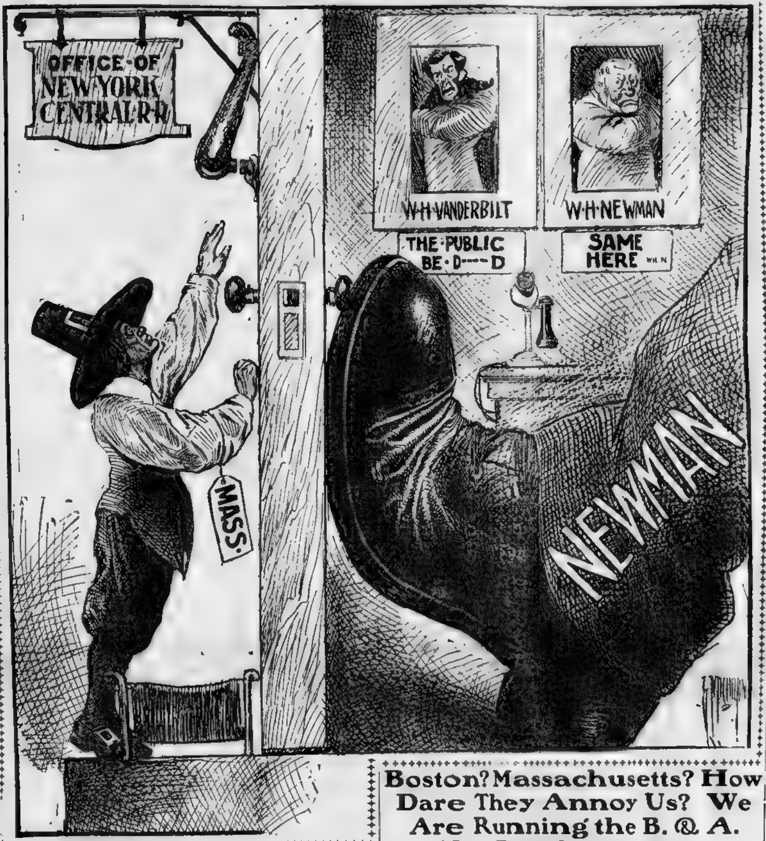
In the meantime the merchants, aroused, wanted to know why the freight wasn't being moved. The Mayor and the merchants told Van Etten he hadn't made good from the standpoint of the public and demanded to see President Newman.

Over to New York yesterday came "Van" and they were both together to-day—Newman, fat, florid, choleric in his impatience with the public and everybody but "Van"; Van Etten, phlegmatic, impassive.

Vanderbilt has gone. His spirit still lives as his picture hangs over the door where Newman holds forth. The picture of the old man seems to say as it looks down upon the three score or more pictures of his compatriots—Hill, Sage, Gould, et al.

The public! Boston! Massachusetts! The public be ——! These men want dividends."

BAY STATE EFFRONTERY



Boston? Massachusetts? How Dare They Annoy Us? We Are Running the B. & A. For Dividends Only
—Newman to "Van."

FREIGHT EMBARGO ON BOSTON & ALBANY SAID TO HAVE BEEN LIFTED

That the embargo against receiving freight for Boston over the New York Central's leased line, the Boston & Albany Railroad, which went into effect over five days ago, was lifted was announced in Boston late yesterday afternoon. It was stated that on account of improvements made all along the line it would be possible for the road again to handle Boston freight.

Yesterday the reports showed that there were 1,300 loaded freight cars in the yards at Albany, whereas on Friday morning there had been 1,400 reported. At Springfield, another important point, 228 loaded cars were awaiting shipment, of which 200 were east bound. Conditions at this point were, therefore, better than normal.

At Boston the railroad has 140 loaded cars at Beacon Park, 102 of which are loaded with Western freight and the remainder with Eastern merchandise.

The officials of the company stated that they could not guarantee complete absence of trouble and delays in the immediate future, as a quantity of Boston bound business is being held now on the New York Central lines which is to be forwarded just as rapidly as the road can take care of it.

HUB DELEGATES LAY PROTEST BEFORE PRESIDENT.

Convinced that the Gardner-Dillingham immigration bill will not be passed by the present session of Congress, and that President Roosevelt will appoint a commission to investigate the entire subject of immigration, Dr. Joseph Sanosusso, one of the members of the committee which went to Washington to protest against the pending measure, has returned to Boston greatly encouraged over the result of the trip.

The committee, which consisted of Rabbi Charles Fleischer; Max Mitchell, superintendent of the Federation of Jewish Charities; John H. Dillon, county president of the A. O. H.; Dr. Joseph Santosuosso, councilman from the Sixth ward, and Andrew A. Baddracco, a retired merchant, was met by Congressman Kelliher and taken before the President.

"The President's sentiments," said Dr. Santosuosso to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter last night, "were shown in the course of the interview which he granted to us when he said: 'Out of the five men I promoted in my regiment, four were immigrants. I did not consider their race when I promoted them. What I wanted was the man who could stand fire.'"

EX-GOVERNOR LONG OPPOSES BANK INSURANCE.

That cheaper industrial insurance is of vital importance at present to the wage earners of Massachusetts, yet should not be grafted upon the State's savings banks and thereby impair their stable security, was the burden of a fiery speech delivered yesterday by ex-Governor John D. Long before the members of the Massachusetts Club at Young's Hotel.

"This proposition of savings banks plus industrial insurance means that each bank would be forced to maintain two sets of officers, two sets of accounts, and two separate funds," he said. "If a sudden run should occur upon the bank, the question of insurance uncertainty would be increased, and much more harm would be done in the minds of depositors, than if the bank had but a single business object.

"I want to see some scheme put through for cheaper rates of insurance for our poor people. That is a noble and Christian undertaking. I cannot see, however, how we are to do it under the proposed bill."

Representative Norman H. White of Brookline urged the savings bank plan.

PROTEST STATE BURDEN ON BOSTON.

Officials Oppose Expenditure in Metropolitan District by Legislature.

Protesting against additional expenditures in the Metropolitan District by the Legislature until a better understanding is had, mayors representing eight cities, and the chairmen of the Board of Selectmen of thirteen towns in the Metropolitan District met yesterday at Young's Hotel at the invitation of Mayor Fitzgerald.

It was unanimously decided to protest against the additional expenditures in the Metropolitan District by the Legislature until after next Saturday, when the committee of mayors and selectmen have an opportunity to confer with the chairmen of the Metropolitan Commissions and the chairmen of the committees on ways and means and Metropolitan affairs of the Legislature.

Mayor "Fitz" Led the Discussion.

Mayor Fitzgerald presided, and Mayor Barney of Lynn was secretary. During the discussion, Mayor Fitzgerald pointed out that the 13 cities and 26 towns in Greater Boston represented 77 per cent of the wealth of the Commonwealth, while they were represented by a minority of the Legislature and Senate.

Those present at the meeting passed resolutions favoring increased taxation for automobiles because of the damage the machines do the roads, and also favoring a bill making the organization of mayors and chairmen of the boards of selectmen permanent.

Officials Who Attended.

The representatives of the suburban municipalities who were present included Mayors Walter C. Wardwell, Cambridge; Thomas J. Boynton, Everett; Charles Neal Barney, Lynn; Eugene H. Moore, Melrose; James Thompson, Quincy; Charles A. Grimmons, Somerville; John L. Harvey, Waltham, and William E. Blodgett, Woburn; and Chairmen of the Boards of Selectmen James A. Bailey, Jr., Arlington; Thomas W. Davis, Belmont; William Craig, Brookline; Edwin V. Kingsley, Canton; Henry D. Humphrey, Dedham; Walter W. Hersey, Hingham; Alfred A. Galiano, Hull; Benjamin Keeping, Revere; Herbert M. Forristall, Saugus; Arthur N. Newhall, Stoneham; Allen H. Cole, Swampscott; Francis Blake, Weston, and George Adams Wood, Winchester.

TALK GRAFT OF MILLIONS FOR LOBBYISTS

Provision in Indian Bill Gives Remarkable Power to Secretary of Interior.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Before the Senate had completed the reading of the Indian appropriation bill to-day the measure looked like a legislative tatterdemalion. Report had for some time been in circulation that the committee bill would be full of very questionable legislation, which the House committee and the House had declined to insert, but which the Senate had included in the measure.

These objectionable provisions included the order that tribal funds of several tribes should be distributed among members, instead of the usual order that the income on these funds should be distributed.

Millions for Lobbyists.

Then there was a remarkable provision under which the Secretary of the Interior was authorized to grant, in his discretion, permits to people or corporations to enter upon Indian reservations, construct canals and ditches for irrigation or power works, build dams, erect electric wires to convey power, cut timber, etc.

These measures were regarded as of doubtful propriety, in some cases it being alleged that lobbyists would secure fees of millions if the propositions became laws.

One Senator after another objected to these various provisions on the ground that they were general legislation, engrafted on an appropriation measure. Some of them were stricken out on a point of order, others were passed over for consideration later.

Aid from Indian Senator.

During the consideration of the bill Mr. Curtis, the new Senator from Kansas, who is part Indian himself, was frequently appealed to by Senators for information, and an expression of his opinion on disputed questions. He made an excellent impression.

MRS. GALLINGER, SENATOR'S WIFE, DIES SUDDENLY

Taken Ill While at Theatre in Washington and Expires at Hospital

Washington, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Gallinger, wife of Senator Jacob H. Gallinger of New Hampshire, went to the Belasco Theatre this evening, was taken ill and died while being removed from the theatre to the Emergency Hospital. Acute indigestion was the cause of death.

Mrs. Gallinger was beloved by a large circle of friends, both in New Hampshire and at the national capital. She was a woman of domestic tastes, yet was popular in society and a valuable aid and adviser to the senior New Hampshire Senator in his political ambitions. Two sons, William H. and Dr. Ralph E., and a married daughter survive her.

While Senator and Mrs. Gallinger were on their way to attend a dinner party in Washington, on January 3, they were knocked down by an electric car and narrowly escaped death. It was thought at the time that neither sustained serious injury.

Mrs. Gallinger was seventy years of age.

"NOT SICK," SAYS EDISON; "GET OUT, FOR I AM BUSY"

Famous Inventor Annoyed by the Report That He Was at Point of Death.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

New York, Feb. 2.—Thomas A. Edison was hard at work in his laboratory in Llewellyn Park, N. J., while reports were flying about the country that he lay at the point of death in a hotel at Atlantic City. At the Edison home the members of the family were first amused and then annoyed when the telephone began to ring and the wires to buzz with anxious inquiries after the condition of the famous man. Even some of his business associates were confused by the report and hurried to Orange.

The report was sent over the country and inquiries came from every section. A messenger was sent to the laboratory for Mr. Edison.

"Get out," was the only retort, "I'm busy."

MASSIVE SHAFT TO MARK GRAVE OF MARY ROGERS

Wealthy Sympathizer Will Erect One Over Hanged Woman's Resting Place.

Hoosick Falls, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Though Mary Rogers was hanged at Windsor, Vt., Dec. 8, 1905, for the murder of her husband and has been buried since in an unmarked grave here, her resting place is soon to be marked by a granite shaft eight feet in height and weighing three tons, the gift of a wealthy woman who was interested in the unfortunate woman and who lives at Brattleboro.

The shaft, which is a handsome piece designed by Eugene Sullivan of Barre, Vt., is now nearing completion at that place. It is of rough faced Barre granite, with a full length scroll, which is polished, leaving a large space for the inscription. Over the top of the monument and hanging downward in graceful lines is a beautiful spray of flowers, carved by Gaeta Mal, the skilled Italian sculptor.

The shaft cost about $1,000. The inscription has not yet been decided.

LOBSTERMEN ON MAINE'S SHORES ARE DESTITUTE

With Traps and Dories Lost, Are Living in Huts Without Proper Food or Fuel.

Seguin, Me., Feb. 2.—Many of the lobster fishermen along the Maine coast are in a destitute condition and actually starving, states Edward Whiting, a lobster buyer, who has just returned from an unsuccessful trip among the fishermen.

"Lobsters are scarcer than ever before," he said, "and the extreme cold and blustering storms have made it impossible for the lobstermen to tend their traps, many of which have been destroyed.

"Many of the dories in which the lobstermen visit their traps have been broken up by the sea. This season has proven to be one of the worst ever known to fishermen on the Maine coast.

"The idle fishermen who know no other business than trapping lobsters, are living in little huts without suitable food and fuel and completely discouraged. The wholesale price of lobsters is $12 a dozen and the demands far exceed the supply. It is believed that within a few years lobsters will be entirely extinct in this part of the country."

TWO ASSESSORS GET $600 YEARLY RAISE

Considerable discussion was created in City Hall yesterday when it was learned that, commencing February 1, Captain Dennis J. Gorman and Christopher I. Fitzgerald of the assessing department have been put upon a permanent salary of $2,500 a year. The increase to each is practically $600 per year. Mr. Gorman is a resident of Ward 16 and Mr. Fitzgerald of Ward 17.

PROVISION DEPOTS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Toulon, France, Jan. 26.—The provision depots of the government here were destroyed by fire last night. The damage is placed at $200,000. Twenty of the men engaged in fighting the flames were more or less injured before the fire was put out.

GIANT RIVER RAGES IN FLOOD.

All High Water Records in Southwest Tennessee Are Broken.

LEVEES MAY BURST ON THE MISSISSIPPI

Thousand Colored People in North Memphis Flee from Their Homes.

WATER ENTERS MAINS, CUTTING OFF THE GAS

Convicts Are Being Rushed from Prisons to Assist the Flood Fighters.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 2.—With the crest of the flood only a few hours away from Memphis and all records for high water broken during the day, the situation to-night is dangerous in the extreme. Any moment the levee at Holly Bush is expected to break, entailing tremendous damage in Arkansas and putting all railroads west from Memphis out of commission. The St. Francis levee officials with a large force of men are working on day and night against fearful odds. At the best only a few inches or more of water can be withstood.

In North Memphis several blocks are flooded as a result of the failure of a retaining wall to hold the water backed up in the Bayou Gayoso. Nearly a thousand people, mostly colored, have been forced out of their homes. Their furniture has been taken in charge by the instalment houses and the owners will lose heavily as a result. There is little actual suffering so far, however. The owners of skiffs are reaping a harvest. A uniform charge of ten cents is made to carry a passenger from one side of the street to the other.

Gas Supply Fails.

The situation to-day was aggravated by the practical failure of the gas supply, owing to the water entering the mains. From early in the morning until late in the afternoon the gas supply was cut off, and the newspapers appeared under great difficulties. Plumbers' blowpipes were called into use to keep the metal hot in the linotypes. Even at that, much of the type was set by hand. This evening the supply was cut off again, and the homes supplied only with gas ranges had cold suppers or none at all.

On account of the height of the principal portion of the city of Memphis, however, no great damage can be done here in any event. Only the poorer section, populated mostly by negroes, can be affected to any appreciable extent. The business section is not touched. Along the river, above and below in Arkansas and Mississippi, the situation is critical and guards are patrolling the levees night and day.

Although the officials are hopeful, many residents of the territory protected by the Holly Bush levee are leaving. The boats are bringing many refugees daily. Rains have partly undone the work of building up the weak spots. A strenuous effort is being made to prepare for six inches more of water.

Convicts Fight Flood.

At Mound City 300 men and a dredge are working constantly. At all weak points guards are patroling the levee. Many are armed, because of the fear that in order to relieve the strain on one side, somebody will cut the levee on the other. At Vicksburg about 350 convicts have been sent up the river to fight the flood.

All the available forces of the Illinois Central and Yazoo and Mississippi Valley systems were placed to-day at the disposal of the flood fighters and possible sufferers by personal direction of President J. T. Harahan to William L. Smith, his personal representative at Memphis.

Train in Readiness.

"Hold men, material and trains in readiness to rush at a moment's notice to any place requiring assistance or to any persons in need of aid," was the gist of the dispatch received by Smith. To-night the gauge is 40.3 feet, two-tenths above the record.

Not more than two-tenths more is expected, and trouble is anticipated from the fact that the levees will not be able to stand that height for more than a few hours, while there is no hope for three days.

STOCKS Lower Than Level After Frisco Quake; Timely Aid Averts Panic MONEY Rate of Exchange Takes Tumble, Seek Light on Gold Conditions BONDS

WITHHOLD CASH IN WEST LENT TO MOVE CROPS

Investors Puzzled by Unusual Conditions Prevailing in Market.

NEW HOPE FOR COPPER MEN

The week just closed has witnessed the lowest prices of the decline and has brought stocks to a level where they are below the range which prevailed after the San Francisco earthquake.

Liquidation has been much in evidence. The declines have been forced to a point where a fraction more would have precipitated a panic, and just at that point support has come in and a rally brought about. But the next drive has brought them a little lower than the last, until they have reached the point where they are selling as low as in last May.

Conditions at large have not changed, so that the reasons for the liquidation must be looked for on the inside instead of the outside. The first factor which has brought about liquidation is undoubtedly the heavy corporate borrowing which has extended into the hundreds of millions. While those which have been put out have been readily absorbed by investors, the question of uncertainty as to how many more short term issues are to be floated does not give a feeling of confidence for stock market activity.

West Holds on to Cash.

Another factor is the failure of the West to return to the East much of the money which was sent out to move the crops. The return movement so far this year is the smallest for many years and this is more puzzling because the severe Winter which the Northwest is experiencing has had a tendency to restrict business there which would naturally forecast a return of the idle money to New York.

The third factor is the uncertainty as to how much gold we shall be able to get from abroad. Bankers here, seeing little prospect of any large movement of currency from the interior, have been quietly inquiring abroad as to the prospects of gold imports. The rate of exchange is abnormally low, which is conducive to gold imports, although at this time it is more a question of increasing depleted reserves than making a profit.

A small engagement was reported on Friday and the prospect is that more will be made to-morrow, when a considerable amount of gold will arrive in London from South Africa. Then the question enters in as to how far the Bank of England will allow the movement to go without increasing its rate and retaining the gold for itself.

Money on Year Loans.

Over against these considerations is the fact that a banking house can borrow money to-day on year loans at 5½ per cent., invest the same in stocks which yield from 6 per cent. to 7 per cent., and make money on their interest without regard to the market movement of the stock. Such a condition as this generally brings into the market investment buying of the best character, which does more to bring about a change in sentiment than any other one thing.

This fact, combined with the unchanged conditions which make for solid values, are the strongest points in the situation to-day, and the question is whether they will be strong enough to move the market upward.

The rates for money have eased very materially. Call money in New York dropped below 2 per cent. at one time this week for the first time in many months. The first of the month passed without money rates going above 4 per cent., which was very surprising in view of the fact that not only were the dividend and interest disbursements financed, but $6,000,000 of Government deposits returned and a $30,000,000 New York city bond sale taken care of.

These considerations have been very puzzling to leading bankers, who confess themselves to be all at sea over the outlook.

In Boston call money has loaned as low as 4½ per cent. by private individuals, with 5 per cent. the lowest rate for institutions. The copper share collateral loans have now been generally marked down to 6 per cent., though in some cases 7 per cent. is asked and paid. Boston copper share commission houses are looking forward with a great deal of expectation to the opening of the new copper bank in New York on the ground that it will mean the placing of copper shares on a better footing as collateral outside of Boston.

Borrowers on Copper.

At present borrowers on copper shares are at the mercy of Boston bankers as no other loaning centre in the country recognizes them as legitimate collateral, and on account of the limited market bankers are accused of discriminating against them. The opening of the copper bank in New York city is expected to [illegible].

The Boston market has acted very creditably this week. During the declines in New York it has either become quiet or only sold a little lower. There is little stock pressing for sale.

Quincy copper is advancing on the prospect of an increased dividend at the meeting of its directors on Tuesday. There is a great deal of dissension in the board over the question of control, but both factors are united on an increase in the dividend rate, although differing slightly as to what it should be. Good opinion is that it will be $4 against $2.50 last quarter.

Osceola a Mystery.

Osceola has been the mystery of the street. One brokerage house has taken every share offered at 165, and the price has at times gone as high as 168. It is believed that Calumet & Hecla interests have been behind the buying, although it is not confirmed.

The consolidation talk [illegible] ended and stocks are now [illegible] consolidation, which has made a marked difference in their quotations. The consolidation asking price was based on future prospects rather than present worth, so that with the consolidation off, prices reacted to the level where present conditions only are considered.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Feb. 2.—Following are the opening, highest and closing stock quotations of the day:

	Open.	High.	Closing.
Amalgamated Copper	110½	111⅝	111⅝
Am. Car & Fndy	41½	42⅝	42⅝
Am. Car & Fndy pfd	101	101	101
Am. Cotton Oil	30	30	30
Am Hide & Leather	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
Am. Locomotive	70	71	71
Am. Smelting	141	142⅛	141½
Am. Sugar Refinery	131	131	130⅝
Am. Tobacco pfd	96⅛	96⅛	96
Anaconda	270	272	[illegible]
Atchison	100⅝	100⅝	100⅝
Atlantic Coast	119⅝	119⅞	119½
Baltimore & Ohio	115⅞	115¼	115
Brooklyn Rapid Tr	72	72¼	72
Canadian Pacific	180	180¼	180
Central Leather	35⅞	36	[illegible]
Chesapeake & Ohio	48⅝	49½	49½
Chicago Gt. West	15½	16	16
Chic. Gt. W. pfd B	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝
*Chicago & Northwestern	165	165½	163½
Colorado Fuel	46½	47½	47
Colorado Southern	34	34	[illegible]
Corn Products Ref	22¼	22⅞	[illegible]
Corn Products Ref. pfd	85½	85½	85¼
Del. & Hudson	208	209	209
Del. Lack. & West	500	505	505
Denver & Rio Grande	38	38	38
Denver & Rio Grande pfd	80½	80½	80½
Distillers' Secur	70⅝	71⅝	70¾
Erie	34	34⅝	34⅝
*Erie 1st pfd	70	70	69½
Erie 2d pfd	59½	60	60
General Electric	157	158	158
Great Northern pfd	165⅞	166⅝	165⅞
Hocking Coal	24	24	24
*Illinois Central	157	157	157
Interboro Metropol.	34	35	35
International Paper	16	16	16½
International Paper pfd	79⅞	80¼	80½
International Power	47½	47½	47½
International Pump	34	34	34
Iowa Central	25¼	25½	25½
Iowa Central pfd	45⅝	46⅝	45⅝
Kansas City Southern	27¼	27¼	27
Kansas City Southern pfd	57⅝	57⅝	57⅝
Louisville & Nashville	133	133⅝	133⅝
Manhattan	142⅝	142⅞	142⅝
Mexican Central	22⅜	23	22⅞
Minn. & St. Louis	56	56	56
M., S. P. & St. Marie	108	109	108
M., S. P. & St. M pfd	158⅝	159	159
Mo. Kansas & Texas	39⅝	39¼	39
Mo., Kan. & Texas pfd	68⅝	69	69
Missouri Pacific	85⅝	86	86
National Biscuit	80⅝	80⅞	80⅞
National Lead	66⅝	66⅝	66⅝
Nat. Ry. Mex. 2d pfd	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
N. Y. Air Brake	144	[illegible]	[illegible]
New York Central	124⅝	125⅛	125⅞
N. Y., N. H. & H	184	184	184
N. Y. Ont. & West	43⅝	43⅝	43⅝
Norfolk & West	84⅞	85	85
North American	82	82	82
Northern Pacific	152½	153¼	152⅛
Pacific Mail	34	34	34
Pennsylvania	129⅞	129⅞	130⅝
People's Gas	96	96	95⅞
Pittsburg Coal pfd	56	56	56
Pressed Steel	47½	48½	48
Pressed Steel pfd	99	99	99
Reading	120	120⅞	120⅞
Reading 1st pfd	90	90	90
Reading 2d pfd	90	90	90
Rep. Iron & Steel	34	34	34
Rock Island	25¼	25⅜	25⅜
Sloss Sheff Steel	69	69½	69½
St. Louis & S. F. 2d pfd	42	42⅞	42⅞
St. Louis & S[illegible]	22½	22½	22⅝
St. Louis & So. pfd	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Paul	146	147	146½
Southern Pacific	91½	92⅛	92⅛
Southern Railway	26⅝	26⅝	26½
Texas Pacific	32	32	32
Toledo, St. L. & W	30	30½	30½
Toledo St. L. & W. pfd	52	52	52
Union Pacific	170½	171½	171¼
U. S. Rubber	48½	48½	48
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd	107	105	105
U. S. Steel	45⅛	44	44⅞
U. S. Steel pfd	105⅛	105⅞	105¼
Va Caro Chemical	33	33	32½
Va Caro Chemical pfd	100	101	100
Wabash Pacific	16½	16½	16½
Westinghouse Electric	150	150	150
Wh. & Le. 1st pfd	33	33	33

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INDEPENDENTS ASK AID IN FIGHT ON OIL TRUST

Bill Introduced to Stop Price Slashing by Combine Throughout the Bay State.

"Why should Standard Oil be allowed to ask fourteen cents a gallon for oil in Boston and Eastern Massachusetts, while in Western Massachusetts it is peddling the commodity from house to house at an average price of eight cents?"

The question is raised on Beacon Hill by Representative Lyman W. Griswold of Greenfield, who also furnishes this.

Answer: Because the Hisgens—the Four Brothers Independent Oil Company—are making a great fight in Western Massachusetts and have been able to make a price of eight and eight and one-half cents. The Standard keeps a half cent below them."

And so the Hisgens, through Representative Griswold, have come to the Legislature to ask for a law that will prohibit unfair commercial discrimination between different communities and localities.

Trust Begins Lobbying.

The bill is in the hands of the Committee of Mercantile Affairs, and it is said that the Rockefeller trust has already begun its work, and that at least one committeeman has been heard to express an opinion decidedly unfavorable to the bill before he has heard it explained or argued.

"I believe," Thomas L. Hisgen said last night, "that this bill is not only just but absolutely necessary if we in Massachusetts are going to keep Standard Oil in check. No honest man will deny the necessity for such legislation. I mean to make this fight not only in the Legislature but in politics as well. I promise you that I will go into the district of every man who opposes it and talk to his constituency about our cause, our bill and the position of their representative."

Laws in Other States.

Acts quite similar to the Griswold bill are already law in Ohio, Kansas and Missouri, where they have been passed upon and upheld as constitutional by the Supreme Courts.

While the Beacon Hill committee has not assigned the date for a hearing, it is expected to come on or about Wednesday, the 20th.

"And when it does come," Captain Griswold said last night, "it is likely to attract and hold the attention of the people.

"I am not fully prepared to discuss the question at this time, but the fact is that I introduced the bill at the request of Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield, one of the proprietors of the Four Brothers Independent Oil Company, and whose firm has long been the object of a characteristic fight by the Standard people.

"The Hisgens have been making a defence against great odds, as may be seen in the difference of the Standard's price for oil in Western Massachusetts and the price around Boston.

Boston Suffers From Trust.

"Boston suffers of course, while on the other hand Western Massachusetts would soon be paying the larger price if the Standard succeeded in crushing the independents to the wall.

"Hence my bill, which provides that any firm that shall intentionally, for the purpose of destroying the business of a competitor in any locality, discriminate between different sections or cities, by selling at a lower rate in one section than in another, shall be deemed guilty of unfair discrimination. The bill makes due allowance, of course, for the difference in grade or quality and the actual cost of transportation."

Captain Griswold's bill places the enforcement of the proposed law on the shoulders of the district attorneys and carries a penalty of not less than five hundred or more than five thousand dollars, or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both such fine and imprisonment.

BOSTON STOCK MARKET.

Following are the opening, highest and closing bids in Boston stocks and bonds yesterday.

BONDS.

	Open.	High.	Last Sale.
Am Bell Tel 4s	98	98	98
C. B. & Q. 4s Denver	99½	99½	99½
C. B. & Q. joint 4s	94½	94½	94½
K. C. Mem & B [illegible]	92	92	92

STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Last Sale.
Adventure Min	5	5	5
Allouez Min	63½	[illegible]	63¾
Amalgamated Cop	111	111⅝	111
Am Pneu Service	12½	12½	11½
Am Pneu S pfd	30	31⅝	31
Am Sugar Ref	131	131	130⅝
Am Sugar Ref pfd	131	131	131
Am T. & T	129	129½	129¼
Am Woolen	31½	31½	31½
Am Woolen pfd	100	100	100
Am Zinc Lead & S	40	41	40⅝
Arcadian Min	14¾	14¾	14¾
Atlantic Min	16	16¾	16¾
Bingham Min	31¼	31	31
Bos Consol Min	30⅛	30½	30½
Boston Elevated*	149	149½	149½
Boston & Albany	231	232	232
Boston & Maine	162	162	160
Boston & Wor Elec	27⅛	27½	27½
Butte Coalition Min	35⅞	36	35⅞
Calumet & Ariz Min	182	184	181
Cal & Hecla Min	945	945	945
Centennial Min	42	44	43½
Copper Range Min	94	94	93⅞
Cremont Min	.10	.10	.10
Daly West Min	19	19	19
Edison Electric Ill	228	228	228
Elm River Min	3⅛	3⅛	3
Fitchburg pr	132	132	132
Franklin Min	25	25¼	25½
General Electric	160¼	159¼	159¼
Granby Min new	130	130	130
Greene Consol Min	30⅝	30⅝	30⅝
Guanajuato	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛
Isle Royale Min	30⅝	31	31
Mass Gas	64⅝	65	65
Mass Gas pr	85	85	85
Mass Min	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Mayflower Min	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
Mergenthaler Lin	201	201	201
Mexico Consol Min*	14⅛	14⅝	14⅝
Michigan Min	21	21	21
Mohawk Min	91	92	91½
Mont C & C Min	1⅞	2	2
N. E. Tel & Tel*	120	120	120
Nevada Consol Min	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
N. Y. N. H. & H	184	184	184
North Butte Min	111¼	111½	111½
Norwich & Wor pr	226	226	226
Old Dominion Min	52	[illegible]	[illegible]
Osceola Min	167	168	168
Parrot Min	2	2	2
Pullman Company*	169½	169½	169
Quincy Min	114½	114	114
Reece Buttonhole	10	10¼	10
Rhode Island Min*	10⅛	10½	10⅜

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KING-CROWTHER

The week just passed has been one of great activity in the demand for the shares of the King-Crowther Corporation.

The roll of stockholders, now numbering upwards of 1,300 investors, was augmented by the largest week's addition of new names in the history of the King-Crowther Corporation, while the size of the subscriptions also touched the high water mark of its career.

My publicly expressed purpose is to distribute the stock in as many hands as possible, and I feel that I have been very successful from that standpoint. Yet, so great has been the interest and insistence by investors as to the stock of the King-Crowther Corporation—especially on the part of old stockholders perfectly familiar with its progress and affairs—that many of them have this week acquired and added to their holdings until they now represent very large interests.

On Monday, February 4th, the board of directors of the King-Crowther Corporation will meet to take action on the president's and treasurer's reports, covering the physical and financial condition of the corporation, the declaration of dividends from its large accumulated earnings and the advance in the selling price of the stock from its present quotation of $65 a share to approximately, if not quite, its par value, $100 a share.

The earnings of the King-Crowther Corporation have been large and of rapid accumulation ever since July 1, 1906, when the transfer was made to it by which it acquired its great Ohio-Indiana division. Since that date its earnings on its capitalization have been among the largest made by any corporation in the United States.

The King-Crowther Corporation is in control of 476 producing oil wells in Ohio, Indiana and Southwestern Texas, its Western field headquarters being at Muncie, Indiana, and its Southwestern field headquarters being in Crowther, Texas. To this number the Ohio-Indiana operators, from whom it acquired its new properties July 1st last, have contracted to add 24 wells of fresh production, which are to be drilled and delivered to the King-Crowther Corporation without further cost on its part by July 1st next.

This will place the King-Crowther Corporation in control of exactly 500 producing oil wells, representing original investments, as all oil men know, of from $1,000 to $10,000 a piece, the total investment being actually in excess of the entire capitalization of the corporation, viz: $3,000,000.

A telegram received this (Saturday) morning from Field Manager H. P. Chase at the Western field headquarters in Muncie states that "Ross Well No. 5, which started off at 100 barrels, is now doing 200 barrels a day."

The well referred to, which has doubled its original production, is located about seven miles northeast of Findlay, Ohio, and is one of a number of new wells which have been drilled in the past four months in the North Lima field or are in process of drilling, namely, W. H. Powell No. 9, Mary Powell No. 10, W. H. Powell No. 11, Enoch Ross No. 5, Enoch Ross No. 6, Levi Gorby No. 1, Levi Gorby No. 2, Levi Gorby No. 3, Eli Gorby No. 1, Eli Gorby No. 2, Eli Gorby No. 3, Anna Bame No. 1 and Anna Bame No. 2.

This is a group of 13 new wells, the majority of them located on recently acquired properties of the King-Crowther Corporation, an enrichment of itself alone conservatively estimated at $300,000.

This drilling activity, which is likely to continue indefinitely on the part of the King-Crowther Corporation, is due to the discovery of one of the richest oil pools ever found in the entire Lima-Indiana field and also to the fact that North Lima oil sells at 90c. a barrel, the highest figure in the West, and 5c. a barrel higher quotation than South Lima oil.

The total fresh production of the 13 wells enumerated will probably prove an addition of approximately 1,000 barrels a day to the volume of production of the King-Crowther Corporation or, in that event, $900 a day to its revenues.

Work having been begun preparatory to additional active well drilling in the Texas field by the King-Crowther Corporation on its own account, I expect to leave Boston immediately after the directors' meeting of next Monday for Crowther, Texas, where I shall personally inspect and direct the work of development there along many lines. Wells are to be brought in in blocks of ten, and the demands of town development, railroad transportation, kaolin and coal mining, ranching and agriculture are to be taken up and met with all possible energy and speed.

As already scheduled, the King-Crowther Corporation will, at the beginning of next week, have—

Established a permanent dividend-paying career which will be satisfactory to every stockholder on its books;

Control of 476 producing oil wells, an assemblage second only in number to that of the Standard Oil Company;

Control of approximately 70,000 acres of land in Atascosa, McMullen and Live Oak counties, Texas, on which it has locations for 5,000 oil wells, vast kaolin deposits and coal measures of incalculable value, town site and equipment with waterworks system, ice plant and other utilities, postoffice, hotel, store, residences, etc.;

Control of 6,308 acres of proven oil lands in Delaware, Randolph and Wells counties, Indiana, and Van Wert, Allen and Hancock counties, Ohio, on which are locations for upwards of 2,000 oil wells, and in addition thereto houses, tanks, derricks, pumping stations, piping, rods and machinery and materials in general to the estimated value as quick assets of over a half million dollars.

The King-Crowther Corporation is capitalized at $3,000,000, the original figures of its incorporation October 10, 1901.

In my opinion, its Texas holdings alone would not be excessively capitalized at two million dollars above that figure.

In my opinion its Ohio-Indiana holdings alone would easily justify its entire capitalization.

Its stock is all of one class. Every stockholder is entitled to vote and to participate in its dividend distributions according to his holdings.

Under my administration as president the King-Crowther Corporation is and is to be conducted solely in the interests of its stockholders. I have not an interest nor a wish that is for one moment at variance with theirs.

Wherever my name is known it stands for success in financial and corporation affairs, and every reader of this announcement should have no difficulty in reaching the conclusion that, having given my name to the King-Crowther Corporation, I shall leave nothing undone that can be done to make it a conspicuous corporate success.

I have built my financial agency up to such proportions that it stands in a class by itself throughout the United States. Wherever it is known—and it is known from ocean to ocean—it stands for the redemption of every promise, for publicity, for good repute, for fair play and for a square deal. I have expended so much money for publicity and open dealing that the business of which I am the sole head is known beyond any financial house, whatever its name or description, in Greater Boston, the second largest population (within 50 miles of the Journal Building) in the United States.

All that I can say concerning the King-Crowther Corporation has all the resources of my name and business to back it up. No one who knows me—either personally or through the medium of my printed announcements—can but allow that I am terribly in earnest as to the King-Crowther Corporation, and that I stand boldly behind every representation I have made concerning it.

IN VIEW OF THE APPROACHING INAUGURATION OF SATISFACTORY AND EVER-INCREASING DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTIONS AMONG ITS STOCKHOLDERS, I CANNOT GUARANTEE TO MAKE THE PRESENT QUOTATION OF $65 A SHARE FOR THE STOCK OF THE KING-CROWTHER CORPORATION LONGER THAN THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS AT MY OFFICE MONDAY, FEBRUARY 4TH NOR CAN I EXTEND THE ASSURANCE TO THE INVESTING PUBLIC THAT THE QUOTATION AFTER THAT DATE WILL BE LESS THAN ITS PAR VALUE, $100 A SHARE.

I repeat that my life's ambition is to make the King-Crowther Corporation pay dividends equal in rate to those sustained for so many years by the Standard Oil Company—dividends that the oil industry stands almost alone in its ability to pay.

The King-Crowther Corporation controls locations for over 7,000 oil wells and has a charter permitting it to acquire oil wells and oil lands in any State or Territory of the Union and to carry on development work and to engage in other industries to a practically unlimited extent. Its 500 wells will represent but a ONE-FOURTEENTH development of its present capacity for oil production.

Can you conceive of the possible life of an oil field, which one of the leading New York newspapers says never becomes exhausted?

Can you conceive of the possible value of even a single oil well when a leading Boston newspaper of a week ago told of a well in the Southwestern oil formation—not far distant from the Texas holdings of the King-Crowther Corporation—which had in a little over two years netted its owners over $1,600,000, and is still making them over $150 a day?

This is one of the final announcements to be made relative to the King-Crowther Corporation prior to the meeting of the board of directors on Monday, which will take action at that time on a dividend declaration and on the advance in the price of the stock, which I am still offering at $65 a share.

REMEMBER—

Until the close of business at my office Monday, February 4th, only, do I guarantee to sell the stock of the King-Crowther Corporation at its present quotation of $65 a share, or at any quotation less than its full par value, $100 a share, which the substantial earnings of the corporation and the inauguration of dividend payments therefrom will richly warrant.

I therefore recommend that subscriptions to this stock be made during the day and before the close of business Monday, orders being accepted when transmitted by telegraph or telephone, which may be done at my expense, letting remittance follow by mail.

Address all communications to me personally, and make all remittances payable to my order.

C. F. KING

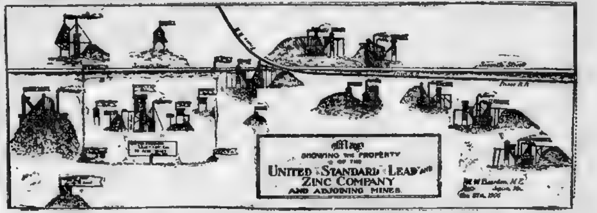
Entire Fourth Floor, Journal Building, Boston, February 2, 1907.

First Mill Now Grinding Ore

Contract for Mill No. 2 to Be Let Within 10 Days—Dividends Are Now Accumulating

United Standard Lead & Zinc Company Stock Has Already Increased 200 Per Cent. —It Will Be 500 Per Cent. Before the Snow Is Off the Ground— Buy Now at 15 Cents and Earn Your Great Profits

United Standard Lead and Zinc Company's first mill at Joplin, Mo., is now running full force. Ore is piling up in the [illegible]. Dividends are beginning to accumulate. Specifications are prepared, bids are coming in, and the contract for mill No. 2 will be let within the next ten days.


Map
Showing the Property of the
United Standard Lead and Zinc Company
and Adjoining Mines.
W. W. Bearden, M.E.
Joplin, Mo.

The President of the Company is there on the ground with his engineers and experts, pushing the work on this great enterprise as rapidly as possible. This company means business and is going to do business—bear that in mind. Just as soon as the present properties of the company are fully equipped with mills and machinery, new properties will be added. There will be no let up in this great work. The management of the United Standard Lead & Zinc Co. will never be satisfied, even though the company is making a million dollars a year. They will keep trying to make more—to increase the dividends—to make the stock worth more.

STOCK NOW 15c—PAR VALUE $1.00

Don't wait or delay about buying stock in the United Standard Lead & Zinc Co. We can see no reason on earth why this stock should not be worth 100 cents on the dollar before the first of next January, and many times par later on. It is only a question of pushing the work, and men of push are certainly behind the work. They are going to deliver the goods, and no mistake.

This Stock Has Already Jumped 200 Per Cent.

It will keep on going up. Probably before you read this advertisement a contract for a second mill will be let. Another advance is sure to follow very soon—maybe within ten days. You can gain nothing by delay. That is the truth. You may lose much. You will certainly not have this opportunity long, and after the next advance you will never have it again.

Property Endorsed by State Mine Inspector Under Three Governors

Read the report of Hon. Geo. E. Quinby, Mine Inspector of the State of Missouri under three Governors. According to Mr. Quinby's report one mill should give an output of 50 to 70 tons of zinc ore per week. In dollars and cents this would be from $2,250 to $3,150 per week. Deduct $800 for operating expenses, and you have left $1,450 to $2,350 week clear net profit. As the mine occupies only about eight acres, or less than one-seventh of the entire tract, it stands to reason that there should be at least seven mills running on this property. Figured on the same basis, seven mills would yield a weekly profit of from $10,150 to $16,450. This would mean a yearly net profit of from $527,800 to $855,400 clear and clean above all expenses, or from 19 per cent to 28 per cent on the entire capitalization of the company, which is $3,000,000.

Such a remarkable record as this would make you rich, would make your stock worth par. Yes, far more than par.

A New Rich Lead Strike

About three weeks ago a new very rich strike of both lead and zinc was made northeast of shaft No. 2. The following letter from the mining engineer explains itself. This strike alone is sufficient to warrant an increase of 50 per cent in the price of stock.

> W. W. BEARDEN,
> MINING ENGINEER,
> Miners Bank Bldg.
>
> Joplin, Mo., Jan. 12, 1907.
>
> United Standard Lead & Zinc Company, Joplin, Mo.—
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> Gentlemen: I have just returned from your tract of land, and beg to report regarding the drill hole which is being put down about two hundred and fifty feet northeast of shaft No. 2. I consider the showing very good, indeed, and it gives evidence of a continuous body of both lead and zinc ore, leading from shafts No. 1 and No. 2, and confirms opinion stated in my report.
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> They struck good lead at 57 feet to 63 feet.
> 63 feet to 71 feet, zinc and some lead.
> 71 feet to 80 feet, zinc.
> 80 feet to 85 feet, blue flint.
> 85 feet to 94 feet, zinc, and still in ore.
>
> I will report to you as they progress with the drilling, and desire to congratulate you on the showing. Yours very truly,
> W. W. BEARDEN.

A Proposition Indorsed by Bankers, Manufacturers, Wholesalers, Railroad Men, Judges of Courts and Men of Wealth and Prominence

The opportunity we are offering you is different from any you have ever had before, because the officers and directors of the company are endorsed by the leading bankers, manufacturers, wholesalers, jobbers, railroad men, judges, and men of wealth and prosperity. They are worth millions and represent millions more.

Business men, mining engineers, officials and mine inspectors who have been in the employ of the government or [illegible] [illegible] commend this great property of the United Standard Lead & Zinc Company. You can't have any doubts about this great proposition when you see the wonderful references and endorsements which we will send you upon request.

WE NOW HAVE FOUR SHAFTS IN RICH ORE, ONE MILL NOW OPERATING AND THIS WONDERFUL NEW LEAD AND ZINC STRIKE.

In view of the wonderful showing made, four shafts in very rich ore, with thousands of square feet of ore surfaces in sight and thousands of tons of rich ore in sight and on the dumps, one mill now grinding ore, a new rich strike of both lead and zinc—in view of all these facts, you can readily see that this stock is bound to advance, and advance very rapidly.

YOUR MONEY WILL BE REFUNDED

If you find that we have made a single misstatement, or misrepresentation, either as to the great properties or as to the officers and directors of the United Standard Lead & Zinc Company, we will cheerfully refund every cent of your money on request at any time within thirty days. This absolutely protects you. The reason we can make this offer is because the United Standard Lead & Zinc Company has mines—MINES, mark you—and not prospects; and the officers and directors of the company are endorsed by the leading bankers and business men of the West.

THIS STOCK IS FULL PAID AND NON-ASSESSABLE

The stock of the United Standard Lead & Zinc Company is full paid and non-assessable, and carries no personal liability to stockholders. Don't wait or delay, but send for full information, references, maps, assays, mining engineer's reports, mine superintendent's report and other information of every kind and character. **Better still**, send in your order at once for all the stock you can afford to carry and investigate afterwards, for **remember that we will return your money in full at any time within 30 days if you are not satisfied, or if you find that we have made a single misrepresentation or misstatement.**

A VALUABLE STOCK TO OWN.

We will not sell less than 100 shares to anyone at these extremely low prices.

100 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	15.00	If you want to buy in installments send one-half cash with remittance and pay balance in four equal monthly payments, beginning one month from date of first payment.
200 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	30.00	
500 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	75.00	
1,000 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	150.00	
5,000 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	750.00	
10,000 shares at 15 cents will cost you $	1,500.00	

Fill out the coupon below and mail to-day. You are taking no chances. It won't cost you a cent to find out all about this golden opportunity, and if you subscribe now you will get your money back if you find where we have misrepresented a single thing.

COUPON—Fill out this coupon and mail to-day.

> THOMAS DAVIES & CO., Suite 547, 204 Dearborn Street, Chicago.
>
> Kindly enter my subscription for.. ....shares of stock in the United Standard Lead & Zinc Co. of Joplin, Mo., at the special price of 15c per share.
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> I enclose $........ to pay for same.
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> Note—If you wish you may pay one-half cash down and balance in four monthly installments.
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> Please send me full information, including references, maps, ore assays, mine superintendent's report and mining engineer's report. It is understood that you are to return my money in full if I find you have misrepresented anything in connection with this proposition.
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> My name is............ . .. .
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> City .... State....................
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> Remit by Express or Money Order, Draft or Registered Letter. 547

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WOMAN'S WIT WINS HER FIRST PRIZE SOLVES "THE FATAL KNOT" MYSTERY

MARY FARRELL OF LAWRENCE THE VICTOR

Woman who wins first, and man who got second prize in "The Fatal Knot" contest.

Prize Winners in "The Fatal Knot"

First prize, $50—Mary T. Farrell, No. 327 Chestnut street, Lawrence, Mass.

Second prize, $25—Robert J. Young, No. 286 Washington street, Brookline, Mass.

Third prize, $5—Mrs. George C. Kimmell, West Boylston street, Worcester, Mass.

WINNERS OF DOLLAR PRIZES.

P. F. Ludwig, Hotel Newman, Providence, R. I.
John Gifford, No. 32 Northampton street, Boston, Mass.
William F. Toomey, No. 56 Fenno street, Revere, Mass.
H. Robinson Loomis, Winthrop Highlands, Mass.
Annette Corets, No. 10 Lawrence street, Cambridge, Mass.
Samuel Solomon, Ayer, Mass.
Miss Katherine A. J. McGrath, No. 20 Adrian street, Somerville, Mass.
John A. Casey, Barton court, Newburyport, Mass.
Grant Dent, No. 45 Edison park, Quincy, Mass.
Jessie B. Clark, Winthrop, Me.
Mrs. H. A. Carter, No. 17 Wells place, Lynn, Mass.
Mrs. Margaret Scanlon, R. F. D. No. 1, Attleboro, Mass.
Mrs. Georgia M. Judkins, No. 33 Lawrence street, Cambridge, Mass.
Robert A. Joy, No. 23 Craigie street, Somerville, Mass.
Mrs. George F. Smith, Uxbridge, Mass.
Fred H. Skofield, No. 374 Water street, Haverhill, Mass.
Mrs. M. Came, No. 143 Laban street, Providence, R. I.
Mrs. Sibyl Reid, Foxboro, Mass.
Ludger Beaudet, No. 177 Beach street, Manchester, N. H.
Mrs. Nellie Sanborn, No. 60 Free street, Portland, Me.

A woman's wit achieves the best solution of the BOSTON AMERICAN'S fascinating mystery story, "The Fatal Knot," by J. Frank Davis, and so wins the grand prize of $50.

It was a quick wit, literally, and the wit and the $50 prize belong to Mary T. Farrell of No. 327 Chestnut street, Lawrence, Mass. She not only wins the big prize, but she worked out her solution of the mystery in "The Fatal Knot" surprisingly early in the story.

Second Prize to Brookline Man.

The second prize of $25 is awarded to Robert J. Young of No. 280 Washington street, Brookline, Mass., and the third one of $5 is Mrs. George C. Kimball of West Boylston street, Worcester, Mass. Twenty other prizes of $1 apiece were also awarded. The names of all winners are published to-day for the first time.

There were many solutions sent in. Some were correct. Some were not. But none were so good or so early as that of Mary T. Farrell. As readers of the prize story now know, the crime about which the mystery centred was committed by a woman. It took a woman to solve the mystery so soon.

The story was begun in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN on Saturday, January 12. The second installment was published the next day and the third on Monday, January 14.

Sent Solution January 14.

Mary T. Farrell, who had read the first two installments, had just about time to read the third installment on Monday, January 14, before working out a brilliant solution and mailing it to the Prize Story Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN. Her letter is postmarked Lawrence, January 14, 6.30 p. m., showing she wrote and mailed it soon after the third installment was in Lawrence.

It can be seen, by reading the interesting letter she writes, and then comparing it with the early chapters of the story, that it was possible, by a flash of intuition characteristic of feminine [illegible], to grasp the meaning of the mystery after the evidence brought out at the murder hearing. It is interesting to note how the processes of reasoning must have unfolded themselves in the mind of the woman. Like all other feats, it seems rather easy after it is all done and explained.

The letter Mary T. Farrell writes to the Prize Story Editor is as follows:

Here is the Prize Solution.

Lawrence, Mass.,
Monday, Jan 14, 1907.

Prize Story Editor, BOSTON AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—My solution of the mystery in "The Fatal Knot" is that a woman committed the murder, and that she was well known to Mrs. Hazard.

Mrs. Hazard would never have gone out in the dark with a man without her husband's knowledge. She would have gone and would have laughed and talked with a woman. When that woman had gotten her away from the house, she slipped the knot over Mrs. Hazard's head, pretending, with a well-laid plan, that she was fooling. Then, when she was pulling it too tight, Mrs. Hazard called to her to stop, using the name of the person who was pulling the cord. Mrs. Ha[illegible] don't!" and "O, K[illegible] [illegible] pet name for Katherine. [illegible] was Mrs. Katherine Ellis who strangled Mrs. Hazard. When Albert W[illegible] saw Mrs. Ellis going down the [illegible] she was leaving the scene of the murder she had just committed. [illegible]

MARY T. FARRELL,
No. 327 Chestnut street, Lawrence.

The Prize Story Editor received hundreds of answers to the mystery story. These answers come from all over New England and beyond, showing how widely and with what interest the story was read.

"The Fatal Knot" is succeeded in the BOSTON AMERICAN by another great romance, "The Bracebridge Diamonds," a story of surpassing interest. There is no prize contest being held in connection with this story, but those who liked the story of "The Fatal Knot" will find "The Bracebridge Diamonds" fully as absorbing, though dealing with other characters.

LEAVES FUND FOR GIRLS' DORMITORY

Worcester, Feb. 2.—The will of Eliza A. Dexter, wife of William A. Dexter, which has been filed for probate, provides for bequests of $100 each to the Young Women's Christian Association, the Home for Aged Women, and the Orphans' Home, and after the payment of twelve specific bequests aggregating $8,500, directs that the balance shall go to the trustees of the College at Waterville, Me., to be used to build a dormitory for girls.

DEMOCRATS TO FIGHT GRAB BY NEW HAVEN.

Bitterly Oppose Consolidated's Plan to Gobble Up Smaller Roads.

Providence, R. I., Feb. 2.—In an attempt to transform itself into a capitalistic monarchy to which every citizen of Rhode Island who uses transportation lines will be a vassal, the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad now asks the General Assembly to confirm a recent merger of four small steam roads which operate within the State.

That Rhode Island is in danger of placing itself under a yoke more oppressive than any other yet experienced in this corporation ridden State, is evident from the unscrupulous efforts that are being made by the New Haven road to establish a powerful lobby that will do the corporation's bidding on every turn.

The recent acquisitions by the New Haven company of practically all of the steam and electric lines in the State and the resulting monopoly of the transportation business and the avenues of trade between Rhode Island points and those outside its borders, has made this vast corporation a much more important and influential factor in the politics of the State than it has ever been before the present year.

Seek Last Remaining Road.

The four roads that the corporation asks the State to allow it to take over are the Pawtuxet Valley Company, the Pontiac Branch Railroad Company, the Rhode Island and Massachusetts Company, and the Woonsocket and Pascoag Railroad Company.

The Providence and Danielson Company is now the only road of any importance not controlled by the New Haven people, and its acquisition is now believed to be but a matter of time. The New Haven road will then control practically every important avenue of transportation, both by land and water, out of Rhode Island.

Before the bill ratifying this merger becomes an enactment of the General Assembly, however, the Democratic minority, under the leadership of Representative John W. Hogan of Providence, will insist upon a rigid inquiry as to the reason why this ratification of a purchase is so earnestly desired by the New Haven company.

Dig Up Original Charters.

The original charter of every one of the four roads in question will be dug up, and every amendment made and every act of the General Assembly affecting these roads or the New Haven road or the railroad companies, of which it is the lessee and successor in this State, will be carefully and closely scrutinized for possible loopholes.

This is the policy that will be followed by the Democrats in connection with every piece of legislation affecting the railroad business in this State of whatever nature, that is offered for passage in the General Assembly. The railroad attorneys are aware of this, and hence the necessity of establishing themselves upon such a basis with the Republican majority that they will not have to worry about the protests or the denunciations made by the people's representatives.

Higgins' Strong Weapon.

The fear of the result to the State, should such a project reach fulfillment, is the strongest weapon with which Governor Higgins, in his fight against General Brayton, hopes to rally to his support the united sentiment of the conservative citizens of Rhode Island.

General Brayton has long been known to be the paid attorney of the New Haven road. Only this week he was declared in a bill seeking to curtail his facilities for reaching legislators on the floor of the House, to be "a paid lobbyist of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad."

Besides General Brayton the New Haven company is represented on the State House lobby at the present time by one other accredited agent, Nathaniel W. Smith, its local attorney. These two constitute the visible nucleus of what is expected to develop in due time an irresistible force against the influence of which no Republican member of the General Assembly will have the courage to raise his voice.

BANKERS SEEK LIGHT ON GOLD MARKET IN EUROPE

Stocks Drop Dangerously Near Verge of Panic—Quick Aid Averts Danger.

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Chicago to New York in 10 Hours

The First Spike Driven in the Building of the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line Railroad

Track Laying Has Commenced on This Historic Electric Trunk Line. Stock Still Selling at $35 a Share Are You A Stockholder?

The First Spike

The first spike has been driven in the building of the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line Railroad, which is destined to accomplish so much for its stockholders and for the American people. The event took place at La Porte, Indiana, Feb. 2. In preparation for it the streets of the city had been torn up some days; the ties had been laid; even the rails had been put in place. Then the company had to wait until a shipment of spikes could be received. At last the first carload of spikes arrived and track laying could begin in earnest.

The driving of a spike in itself is a little thing. When that spike is the first to be driven in the construction of a great railroad it is an important incident. When the spike is the first in the building of an epoch making electric trunk line, it is an historic event worthy of r[illegible].

Track [illegible] proceed rapidly as far as the grading has been completed. Twenty-five more cars of ties were ordered during the week. These make fifty cars of ties so far ordered with which to start the work.

Are You a Stockholder?

A great modern railroad is being built by stock subscription, and the entire American continent is talking about it. This railroad is known as the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line. The term "air line" is used to suggest shortness, for when completed it will be the shortest railroad that can be built between Chicago and New York.

This railroad is being built by the people, according to the most modern scientific ideas, without a grade crossing, without unnecessary curves, without a dollar of indebtedness, to connect the greatest traffic centres on earth—Chicago and New York.

THE HANCOCK COMPANY, Fiscal Agents, 1001 to 1010 Old South Building, Boston

I shall be interested to receive additional informating regarding the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line R. R. Stock.

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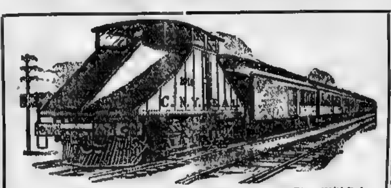


One of the Hundred-Mile-an-Hour Electric Engines That Will Take a Train from Chicago to New York in 10 Hours

Nothing connected with this road or its construction is experimental. It calls for an intelligent application of proven principles and tried devices [illegible] nothing more.

You, we take it, are a typical American, intelligent, ambitious, in a measure prosperous and anxious to accumulate a competency. You have cut your eye teeth and know you must realize more than three per cent on your investment if you ever expect to get rich.

To you we put this question: Is there money to be made in building and operating railroads? If you don't know the answer hundreds of millionaires and thousands of rich men, who owe their fortunes to railroads, do.

Now, mark this. If steam railroads make money, then the Electric Air Line will make more money. Why?

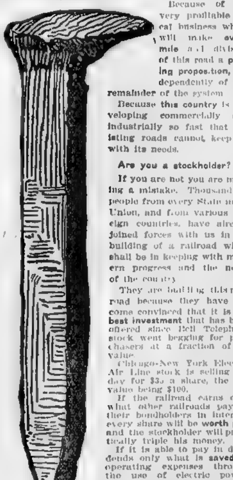
Because of greater speed, which will almost double its efficiency.

Because of economy of operation, for electricity is a cheaper motive power than steam by at least fifteen per cent.

Because every dollar of the receipts over and above operating expenses will go to the stockholders, for there are no bonds on which interest must be paid. Steam roads pay fourteen per cent of their gross earnings in interest to bondholders.

Because it will be the shortest and quickest route between the greatest two cities in America.

Because of enormous through business, which is suffering for better transportation facilities.



Because of the very profitable local business which will make every mile and division of this road a paying proposition, independently of the remainder of the system.

Because this country is developing commercially and industrially so fast that existing roads cannot keep up with its needs.

Are you a stockholder?

If you are not you are making a mistake. Thousands of people from every State in the Union, and from various foreign countries, have already joined forces with us in the building of a railroad which shall be in keeping with modern progress and the needs of the country.

They are building this railroad because they have become convinced that it is the best investment that has been offered since Bell Telephone stock went begging for purchasers at a fraction of its value.

Chicago-New York Electric Air Line stock is selling today for $35 a share, the par value being $100.

If the railroad earns only what other railroads pay to their bondholders in interest, every share will be worth par, and the stockholder will practically triple his money.

If it is able to pay in dividends only what is saved in operating expenses through the use of electric power, stock will be worth par at the very least calculation, and the stockholder will triple his money.

If the railroad never earns a cent, an impossible thing, the stockholder by virtue of his contract will be able to exchange his stock at par for transportation at current rates (which is as good as cash less a small discount), and will nearly triple his money.

It will do more than all these.

Then why are you waiting, or if already a stockholder, why are you not increasing your holdings while the price is still under $50? It will not remain there long. Will this railroad be any more certain next March when the first cars run out of La Porte; next winter, when they run into Chicago; next year, when the track reaches out to Goshen, Ind., on its way to New York, than it is now? There is nothing more certain in life than that in a few years this great 20th century railroad will be pouring its enormous earnings into the laps of its fortunate stockholders.

LET US SEND YOU FREE FOR 3 MONTHS THE AIR LINE NEWS.

The most unique and inspiring safeguard by which this investment is surrounded is the following clause, which appears on each stock certificate:

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Please find enclosed $........in (full or part) payment for........ shares of Chicago-New York Electric Air Line R. R. Stock.

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How You Can Buy Stock—Now

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ON THE FOLLOWING EASY TERMS:

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350 buys	10 Shares, pay down	35.00 and	35.00 per mo. for 9 mos.
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You can contract for any number of shares, paying for them in the same proportion. You can pay more down and more per month if you desire, or you can pay in the entire balance due at any time, when a certificate will be issued.

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Will You Join Me in Making A Fortune?

As a Conservative Business Man I tell you that we can do it in Cobalt—the richest silver mining district in the History of the world.

COBALT

What I Saw in Cobalt

When I invite you to join me in this investment I do so with a full personal knowledge of actual facts. For eight months I have been investigating this Mining District—the greatest silver producing camp in the world. I saw, with my own eyes, what was going on—for I determined to accept no man's word without proof.

After a searching personal investigation I was convinced that half the real truth had never been told. With my own eyes I saw more than enough to convince me of the amazing richness of vast mineral deposits. I saw tracts of land that three years ago were not worth $1.00 an acre that today could not be bought for $25,000 an acre.

Nuggets of Silver

I saw nuggets of silver from 80 to 90% pure, weighing 300 to 400 pounds. I saw carloads of ore running from $40,000.00 to $60,000.00—and one picked car that ran as high as $90,000.00. I examined the entire region—saw miners at work—talked with conservative men whose ability, experience and recognized standing placed them in a position to give me unbiased advice—and then I made up my mind that Cobalt offered the

Opportunity of a Lifetime

After being sure of these facts I determined to act quickly. I returned to Cleveland, secured the expert services of Mr. H. E. Weatherbee, one of the best mining engineers in the country—and with Mr. Weatherbee and an able corps of assistant engineers I returned to Cobalt. After careful inspection and investigation, myself and my engineers selected 560 acres of the richest land in the district of Cobalt—all located in the heart of the silver producing section—within easy range of well known producing and shipping mines.

I Took No Chances

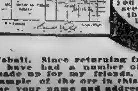
on property of doubtful value. The acreage we purchased was rigidly tested by experts and the presence of high-grade ore was established beyond a question. To show the value of my lands I cite an instance when the Canadian Government recently sold to a Canadian Syndicate made up of people living right in Canada, the Cobalt Lake, covering some 40 acres of ground, for $1,085,000 cash. This tract is within a few miles of my holdings.

Now after purchasing 560 acres of rich mining property I have formed a holding company, viz.: The Cobalt Mutual Mines Company—composed of a number of well known professional and business men who are associated with me in the mining work of my property.

Until February 20th, 1907

we will accept subscriptions on this block of stock, subject to a previous sale, at the low price of 25c a share. On February 20th the price of this stock will advance at least 40 per cent.

W. V. COONS, President
W. V. Coons & Co., Bankers,
Cleveland, O.



NOTE—If you are interested in this wonderful chance to make a fortune, you might like to see a sample of the silver-bearing ore from Cobalt. Since returning from my last trip there, I have had a number of attractive stick pins made up for my friends, and will send you a sample of the ore in this form, if you will send me your name and address and state your occupation, using your business stationery if possible. Please write at once.

560 ACRES OF SILVER

HERE is a chance to make a big income for life by investing in a legitimate mining property—safe—sound—honestly managed—backed by men of the highest character—who put their own money into the purchase of a big tract of land in the heart of the Cobalt mineral district, within gunshot of big producing mines such as Nipissing, Temiskaming, LaRose, Foster, and other famous mines that are making enormous fortunes for their owners.

The Cobalt Mutual Mines Co.'s Claims

are five in number, covering 560 acres richly mineralized lands, affording ample space for 100 working shafts and tunnels.

Title.

Title is perfect. In Canada all mines are carefully examined by Government Inspectors, and no claims are allowed unless approved of by the proper Government officials.

Present Development.

On Lot 1, Concession 4, Bucke Township, several large and heavily mineralized veins have been found. At the junction of these veins the shaft is now being sunk, and shipping of high-grade ore will be a matter of only about four months. On Lot 7 many large strong fissure veins have been prospected and No. 1 vein has been traced and tested for over 300 feet. It will be one of the heaviest producers in the district. On vein No. 1 tunnel is now being driven to penetrate the vein about 80 feet from the outcrop. This will give more working depth than has been found in any property in the district without a shaft. High-grade ore will be shipped from this vein in less than 90 days. As soon as the weather permits the entire acreage will be prospected, and future work will be rushed.

Business Methods.

The Cobalt Mutual Mines Company is organized on strictly business principles. We are going into the mining proposition at Cobalt with the same care and caution and the same methods as we would go into any manufacturing or other business enterprise. First, we secured enough land to be sure that we had a property that could be mined for years, and we now intend to make money out of it for our stockholders.

Directors and Officers.

President, W. V. Coons; Vice-President, Isaac Davis; Sec'y and Treas., Fred Edwards; Supt., John H. Foggs; Engineer in Charge, H. E. Weatherbee. Directors: R. G. Hemingray, Muncie, Ind., Pres. The Hemingray Glass Co.; Frank C. Caine, Cleveland, O., Pres. National Concrete Fire Proofing Co.; W. V. Coons, Cleveland, O., W. V. Coons & Co., Bankers; H. W. Harris, Streator, Ill., Gen'l Mgr. The Illinois Light & Traction Co.; Isaac Davis, Findlay, O., Wholesale Seed & Wool Merchant; J. M. Barr, Findlay, O., Pres. The Producers Co.; J. C. McDowell, Pittsburgh, Penn., Vice-Pres. Union National Gas Corporation; James H. Hoge, Cleveland, O., Sec'y United States Telephone Co.; Fred Edwards, Cleveland, O.

The officers of this company are well and favorably known and are men of substance, character and standing in the community. An investigation will reveal to any investor the fact that the directors and officers are entirely reliable.

Fortunes in Cobalt Stocks.

The Temiskaming and Hudson Bay stock sold as low as 40 cents per share, now sells for over $100 per share, and has paid about 4,000 per cent. in dividends.

The stock of the Nipissing mine sold below par, afterward advanced over 675%.

The stock of the McKinley-Darragh-Savage was put on the market at $1.15 per share (par $1.00) and advanced to $4.00 per share.

The stock of the Foster-Cobalt started at 60 cents per share and advanced to $6.00 per share.

The stock of the Right of Way mine has had a very great advance. It is reported that $160,000 was taken out of a narrow trench less than 30 feet in length and not more than 10 feet in its greatest depth.

Remember—Only 462,000 shares offered, par value $1.00 a share—fully paid and non-assessable. This is positively all the stock that will be sold at 25c a share, and this offer is for a limited time only. Don't wait until too late to take advantage of the low price—which will increase 40% on Feb. 20th.

This is not a "paper" mine nor a wild-cat speculation—but a safe business venture—an investment in 560 acres of land of absolutely proved value.

We advise you to telegraph orders for stock and forward remittances at once, as there is every indication that the entire allotment of shares to be sold at 25c a share will be largely over-subscribed. Prospectus and additional information will be sent on application. Address all letters, telegrams and remittances to

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REFERENCES—Any bank anywhere—or Dun's or Bradstreet's Agencies.

BROWNSVILLE'S GUILTY MEN ESCAPE.

Only Three of Colored Troops Summoned for Senate Committee Hearing.

TWO SERGEANTS AND PRIVATE TO TESTIFY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

Washington, Feb. 2.—The Senate Committee on Military Affairs will on Monday begin the hearings for the authorized Brownsville investigation resolution for the purpose of getting at the merits of the Brownsville fracas of last Summer. It develops that the hearings at this time may prove very tame owing to the difficulty of finding the needed witnesses. The members of the three discharged companies of negro troops have become widely scattered and the committee is finding great difficulty in locating them.

It is now [illegible] that all the men who were actual participants in the Brownsville shooting affray have got themselves safely out of reach of process servers for the Senate and that the men who will be brought forward to testify are unable to do much more than tell their own stories in proof of their individual innocence.

Three witnesses are expected to be on hand for Monday. They are Sergeants George Jackson and Mingo Sander of Company E, and Private Albert H. Rowland of Company E. Sander has been in Washington for some weeks. Jackson was located in Louisville and Rowland was found in New York city. None of the three made any effort to escape the summons.

The committee includes several lawyers who as a matter of professional pride will make special efforts to develop evidence which previous investigations have not brought out. It is feared that none of the guilty men will be found and that much of the evidence will have to be taken by the sub-committee that later will be sent to Brownsville.

FIGHTS B. & A. ON MONSTER GRADE CROSSING.

Mayor Duggan Declares the Letter of the Law Must Be Observed by Corporations, B. & M. Also Under the Lash

Worcester, Feb. 2.—Mayor John T. Duggan has started an active campaign against the Boston & Albany division of the New York Central railroad because of the frequent blockading of public crossings by railroad trains, and hereafter every violation of the law will be prosecuted by the city.

Mayor Duggan has given stringent orders to Chief of Police David A. Matthews, who has appointed a squad of plain clothes men to watch the railroad crossings at Plymouth, Washington, Green and Grafton streets until further notice. Mayor Duggan says he has received several complaints during the past week from business men and others about being held up at crossings more than the five minutes allowed by law.

"If the railroads think the city of Worcester can be used as a puppet they will find out their mistake," declared Mayor Duggan to a BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN reporter. "They are taking their time in abolishing the grade crossings; now Worcester will make them live up to the very letter of the law. The railroads have not treated the city decently and now the city will settle the score as far as possible."

Mayor Duggan has also opened war on the Boston & Maine because of its refusal to put gates at the unprotected crossings at the [illegible] as it agreed to do at the recent hearing before the Railroad Commission.

LOVE IN MARRIAGE IGNORED IN FRANCE

Special Cable from the Hearst News Service.

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Paris, Feb. 2.—That the average French girl ignores love in her ambition to be married is the inference drawn from ninety-five replies to the question, "Why do you wish to marry?" The question was put by a French statistician to ninety-five girls of marriageable age.

Not one of the replies mentioned "love" as having anything to do with marriage, although [illegible] of the girls modestly concealed their reasons [illegible] gave the following [illegible]:

"I wish to [illegible] married because then I shall be [illegible]" [illegible] replies.

"So that [illegible]" Five replies.

"Because my husband would enable me to travel." Five replies.

"So that I should own my own house." Seven replies.

"Because I wish to have a family." Four replies.

'SHAKE HANDS,' SAID THIS GENIAL THIEF

Indianapolis, Feb. 2.—Asa J. Miller, a hardware merchant at 1629 East Washington street, was fooled at a piece of business by two highwaymen, one of whom was a brother Odd Fellow. The latter wore a lodge pin. So did Miller, and they beamed on each other with brother smiles of recognition. The highwaymen asked Miller for a knife, and when the latter started to show his stock he found his lodge brother covering him with a revolver. Miller looked at the pin again, then at the revolver, and threw up his hands.

"Now open your money drawer!" came the demand, and Miller hastened to open. While the confederate took the money the gentlemanly highwayman spied Miller's Odd Fellow pin.

"Oh, I see you belong to the same lodge," he remarked. Then, changing the revolver from one hand to the other, he held out his right hand.

"Put 'er there and shake!" he said, cordially.

"Not with you," returned Miller. "I don't regard you as my brother of mine."

After obtaining $12 in money, five razors and sixteen pocket knives, still covering Miller with the revolver, the highwaymen backed out of the store.

A Chance to Make a Fortune in a Copper Mine

by JULIUS SINGER

(NOTE—This is a plain statement of facts, as I know them. All I ask you to do isto read the story through; if you believe my story, join with me.—J. S.)

THE STORY OF AN ALASKA MINER.

I am a practical miner, and for several years past have been mining in Alaska, in the vicinity of Cook's Inlet, and before that worked in the mines in the Olympic Mountains in the State of Washington.

JULIUS SINGER

I have done everything in a mine from working with a pick and shovel up to mine manager with a large force of men under me, and having direct superintendence of all the operations of a large property in Alaska. I have a large acquaintance in the district where I have been working for the past three or four years, and know the conditions up there thoroughly. I have personally examined nearly all of the large properties that are being worked at the present time and have an excellent opportunity of making connections with owners of mining properties that I know to be all right. I have reached that point where I am tired of working for other people and giving them the benefit of my experience. I determined last season that before I returned to Chicago, where my home is at present, I would secure a number of properties that I knew to be very good under what we miners term "working bonds."

WHAT A WORKING BOND IS.

For the benefit of those who do not know what a working bond is I [illegible] It differs from an option in this regard. If a man takes an option on a piece of property he must make that option good within the time of its life or forfeit what he has paid to secure the option [illegible]. If he secures a working bond, he agrees to use due diligence in securing capital to prove the property so bonded, but he puts down no money, and if he finds nothing after [illegible] work has been carried on to prove the property, he is out nothing except his time and the actual amount expended for labor.

WHAT I HAVE SECURED.

I have secured five groups of copper mines on Knight's Island, [illegible] Prince William Sound in the southern part of Alaska. This is the island where the Hubbard-Elliott people have recently acquired some holdings, and will be the scene of tremendous operations during the coming year. One of our groups of claims lies right between the Hubbard-Elliott and the Hemple holdings, and all of them are on tide water. In addition to these groups I have secured a mine on the mainland in Prince William Sound, known as the Ellamar Extension, and a group of claims inland some 120 miles on the Kuskalane River. The Ellamar Extension adjoins the famous Ellamar mine, one of the greatest copper properties in Alaska. Their shipments during the past year were [illegible] neighborhood of 45,000 tons of copper ore, running between 10 and 11 per cent in copper.

TIRED OF WORKING ON A SALARY.

I have worked for a number of years in Alaska and have held responsible positions at a high salary. I made up my mind a year ago that 1906 would be the last year I would spend in Alaska making money for other people alone, and laid my plans to return to this country to secure the necessary capital to develop these copper mines which I had secured and was able to bond.

FORM A MINING COMPANY.

I have organized a company known as the Happy Jack Copper Mining and Development Co., with a capital of $1,500,000, par value of shares $1.00 each, non-forfeitable and non-assessable, and have associated with me as officers and directors a number of successful business men, all of whom have invested in the stock of the company. I spent my own money for development purposes before coming out of Alaska, paid for my own bonds, and carried on sufficient developments on the various claims to assure me that each of them carried good copper values.

On the Happy Jack claim, which lies on Hogan's Bay, Knight Island, one of five claims known as "Golconda," "Porpoise," "Happy Jack," "Coal Fish" and "Ground Hog," we are in far enough on the vein to prove to me that I had a copper mine on this claim. It has [illegible] in its favor being directly on tidewater [illegible] a wharf 250 feet long to admit [illegible] from the tunnel being dumped into the boat.

FINE CLIMATE.

The climate in this vicinity is fine and admits of the work being pushed every day of the year. There is sufficient water in the bay to give us dockage for a boat drawing 25 feet of water at low tide. Neighboring mines ship every month in the year. I believe that this one claim will make a great mine, but if it should not we have four more chances to make a [illegible] in this same group. If none of these should show mineral values, which is a ridiculous contention, for we have proven that all of them have mineral values, then we have our other groups to work on, the one on Drier Bay, consisting of five claims, being just as well located and immediately adjoining the group controlled by the Hubbard-Elliott [illegible], which they value very highly. The [illegible] stock in the Company now at $2 [illegible] per share.

The Hemple property is owned by Mr. Hemple, a banker of [illegible]. His stock is now 75c.

In every [illegible] there is an element of chance. It is impossible to predict with any degree of accuracy what [illegible] of work will bring forth, but I think I have reduced the element of chance to a minimum in this proposition.

A CLEAN CUT PROPOSITION.

My proposition to the investors of this country is a sensible one. I propose to take sufficient money up to Alaska with me to hire a force of men and be able to pay them when pay day comes around. There is no one in Alaska better able to secure capable [illegible]. I know exactly where to go to get men, having been in charge of large bodies of men for several years past, and know how to [illegible]. In other words, work will be done will be right to the point; no experimenting, but practical mining.

I shall not spend more than is necessary in the preliminary work on any one of these claims. If one of them doesn't produce ore after I have gone in far enough to satisfy me as to whether it carries ore or not, then I shall leave it and go on to the next, and when the copper shows sufficiently strong we can go back to claim No. 1 or 2, as the case may be, and make a further examination of the ore body. It doesn't seem possible that I could help making a mine on one or two of [illegible] claims [illegible] each group, and we have [illegible] fourteen claims on Knight's Island. I should make mines on all of them and I believe I can do so, for we have made careful tests on each claim.

KNIGHTS ISLAND BOOMING.

There will be hundreds of thousands of dollars spent in development work on Knight's Island this summer, and as I had practically the first pick of the good things on the island, and plenty of time to make extensive explorations, I think I am giving the investors the greatest run for their money that they ever had when I invite them to co-operate with me in this enterprise at 10c per share. No practical mining man will go on record and make a positive statement as to what he thinks he has. I believe that this one claim, the Happy Jack, will make millions of dollars for this company, because I know that Knight Island is directly in the mineral zone which runs from La Touche on the south through Knight Island and across to the mainland, where the Ellamar and the Ellamar Extension, our other mine, is located. We have evidences to show, from prospects that have been made all [illegible] that the ore body is continuous [illegible] this direction.

ANOTHER GREAT PROPERTY.

Our property, known as the Ellamar Extension, which was the first mine patented in the Prince William Sound [illegible], will require considerable money for development work. It is what we [illegible] proposition and calls for six [illegible] and ground workings at great depths. [illegible] owners would never have spent all one [illegible] unless they knew what [illegible] like the Ellamar [illegible] 15,000 tons of ore running [illegible] was taken last year, and I have reason to believe that it is every bit as good. We will have a property that should pay dividends for generations to come. I want to make [illegible] pay dividends and provide money enough to develop all the others besides.

STILL ANOTHER PROPERTY.

I have one more group of claims inland 120 miles on the Kussalane River. These near the main holdings of the American Smelters-Refining Company and the Hubbard-Elliott series, and in my opinion are quite as good as the Bonanza or [illegible] group. I shall so hold these for a time without spending any money on them for development work, doing the necessary assessment work only. As soon as free transportation is assured to that district, and have brought our other mines into active operation, we shall turn our attention to this inland group, which is no doubt a very valuable property.

THE ELEMENT OF CHANCE.

When I started this company and costed to go to the public with my stock and asked them to buy it, I insisted that I should be allowed to tell my own story in my own way. I don't want any [illegible] or any worth [illegible] this every [illegible] he or she has [illegible] away for a rainy day here as [illegible] without [illegible] taking desperate chances on a position that has the elements of chance that mining venture has.

FIRST SHIPMENTS IN AUGUST.

I expect to begin shipping ore in August, and have every reason for thinking that I can do so, and I want an investor to feel when he comes in with me that I am taking an equal chance with him. I have spent my own money and am spending my own money. I am giving up a $10,000.00 a year position, and I am going to the front to do the hard work necessary to bring these mines into the producing stage. [illegible] I feel that I am taking just as much of a chance as any other man in the enterprise. If I lose, I have lost more than any other man [illegible] made a failure, in addition to losing one or two years' salary.

I FORESEE SUCCESS.

You can readily see that I feel very sure of my position in undertaking this enterprise and lending my name and time to its interests. I feel that I am going to be a tremendous success, because I am well equipped for the work that is ahead of me. I have earned my business in the practical school of experience, and I know it from one end to the other. I am not only the president of a mining company, but I am a working president. I am its president, mine manager, superintendent and utility man of all work, and I don't know the meaning of the word "fail."

DON'T DELAY IF YOU WANT TO BUY.

If you are impressed by what I have said and can come and talk to me this week, I want you to send your money by the first mail, and if you find that I have misstated any of the facts connected with this enterprise, I will send your money back to you. I want to start for the mines in Alaska no later than the 15th of March, ready for hard work, hire my men, get sawmills to work, get out my timber and get the wharf built.

I WANT TO BEGIN AT ONCE.

I want to start three shifts of men to work night and day on this tunnel on the Happy Jack, so that the ore will be ready to dump into the boat the minute the dock is completed. I want to start men to work on the other claims at the same time, so that we can be opening up all of our claims practically at the same time. If I can do this—and I can do it if you will act promptly and make up your mind that it is the best chance that was ever offered to you to make some money—we can begin paying dividends this year. **The smelters want the kind of ore that we can send them**, for it is self fluxing copper ore, and every smelter along the coast is anxious to get that kind of ore. They need it. The cost of mining is $1.25, freight rate $2.75, smelting charges $1.50, ore runs over 10%, leaving net over $30.00 per ton. We should mine 500 tons daily—a net daily income of $15,000.00.

I WILL BE AT OFFICE DAILY.

Between now and the time I go to the mines I am going to spend my entire time in the office of the company, Suite 914, Tacoma Building, in Chicago, where I will be prepared to talk to any investor who comes to see me. If I can't convince you that this is the opportunity of your life to get in on a good thing, it will not be because I don't state my case properly. I will show you letters from prominent men in this and other cities who will give me a clean bill as far as honesty and ability goes.

I WANT TO GIVE ALL A SHOW.

I want to say in conclusion that my intention was to put this stock out at 25c on the dollar. It is worth that, for there is something back of it, but I have been prevailed upon by my brother officers to give the small investor a chance to come in with us; therefore, the first allotment is offered at 10c per share. The next will be 15c, the next 20c and the next 25c. By that time I expect that we shall have sufficient funds to enable me to start, and as soon as I begin shipping ore this stock should go to a dollar, par, or better.

LIMITED ISSUE OF 10c STOCK.

So many of my personal friends have been waiting for me to begin operations and get this stock on the market that I am afraid the first issue will be away oversubscribed; therefore, I would advise you to come and see me to-morrow if you want to buy any at the 10c price, because if you delay you are going to get left, and you will have to buy at the next price. If you wire in and ask for a reservation of stock and let your remittance follow, you will be doing a wise and safe thing. You will be reasonably sure of getting all that you want at this price. We shall not sell over 10,000 shares at the 10c price to any one individual. We want to scatter our holdings as much as possible. In other words, we want to give the poor man a chance to make some money. I am a poor man and worked hard for what I have been able to get together, which is not much, and I am willing to share my good fortune with those who are similarly placed.

I expect to be at the office of the New Amsterdam Securities Co., third floor, Flatiron Building, New York, February 15th and remain there for a few days. I shall be glad to talk to you at that time.

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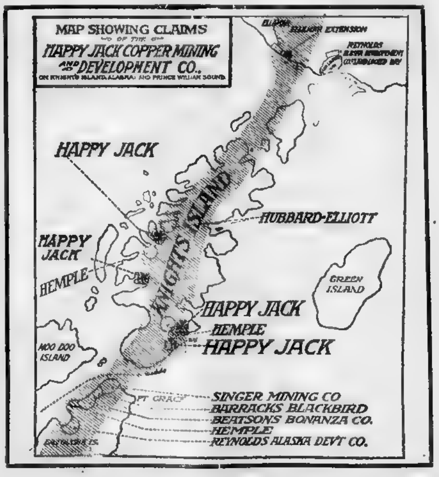

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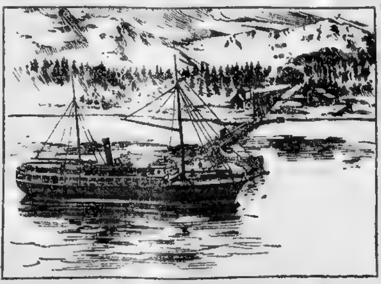
It is not necessary to add that these men would not consent to lend their names to any enterprise that they were not entirely satisfied would prove successful. They are all well-known business men and enjoy the confidence and esteem of those who have had business relations with them. Any of them will be pleased to answer any questions regarding Julius Singer, whom they have known for years, and the company's properties, which they are endeavoring to successfully exploit.



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Chicago, Feb. 2.—Three years of persistent courtship having failed him, Albert Long induced his sweetheart, Miss Regina Hendricks, to meet him for the last time yesterday afternoon.

After making a final plea, he shot her twice and turned the weapon on himself. Miss Hendricks is at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in a critical condition. Long was [illegible] almost instantly.

ADJUTANT OF SIXTH REGIMENT DEAD

Leominster, Feb. 2.—Frank J. Metcalf, aged thirty-five years, ranking adjutant of the Sixth Massachusetts Regiment, died to-day after an illness of two years. He was a Knight of Pythias, Odd Fellow and Mason, and also a member of the Leominster Board of Fire Engineers. The funeral will be held Tuesday from St. Mark's Church.

15 INJURED IN TRAIN CRASH

Altoona, Pa., Feb. 2.—While the first section of train No. 22, the Manhattan Limited, was speeding east over the Pennsylvania railroad early to-day, it ran into an empty engine near Conemaugh. Eleven passengers asleep in their berths were injured and four trainmen were hurt. The injured passengers all suffered sprain of either neck or back or both, owing to the sudden stop of the train, which threw them against the ends of the berths.

EDISON NOT ILL; NAMES CONFUSED

NEW YORK, Feb. [illegible] ill[illegible]ness of Thomas A. [illegible] at Atlantic City, is wi[illegible] Mr. Edison was at hi[illegible] N. J., to-day, devo[illegible] hours to experimen[illegible] illness was due to [illegible] son, who is ill at the [illegible] was mistaken for the [illegible]

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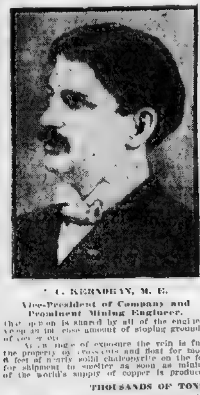
I have recently been fortunate enough to secure a group of twelve copper claims, comprising a tract of about 640 acres in all, in that wonderful copper district of East Kootenay mining district, province of British Columbia. This district contains the most [illegible] mines of that copper section—said to be the richest in the world.

Lying adjacent to this property are the mines of the famous Granby Copper Company, which is paying 24 per cent [illegible] on a capitalization of $15,000,000.00. The Granby ore body is a much lower grade in copper than ours, averaging only about 2 per [illegible] A great deal of the copper showings on our claims average as high as 15 per cent in copper. It is a simple matter of arithmetic to figure what we can pay on a capitalization which is only one-third that of the Granby Company, when our ore runs from three to five [illegible] rich as theirs.



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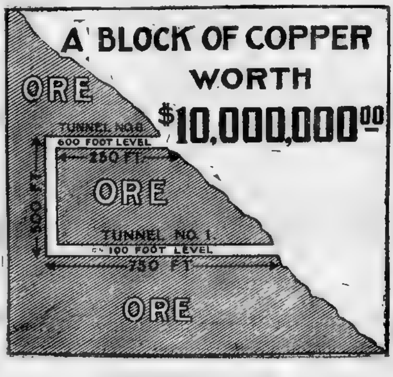

$10,000,000.00 WORTH OF COPPER.

I have been engaged in mining and interested in various mines for the past fifteen years, and have always been particularly impressed with the possibilities of British Columbia copper mines, because of the protection afforded both mining operators and mining stock investors by the Canadian Government.

I determined that when the first good British Columbia copper proposition presented itself I would take hold of it and develop it in the shortest possible space of time and to the best of my ability. Here are the facts in a nutshell regarding this property.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

The group of claims named above consist of the following lode claims, namely: "Eclipse," "Mammoth," "Rainbow," "Lakeside," "Wolverine," "Tribune," "Paragon No. 1," "Paragon No. 2," "Golden No. 1," "Golden No. 2," "Cascade No. 1" and "Cascade No. 2." The property lies between Warren and Wells Creeks, in the northern division of the East Kootenay mining district, British Columbia. Warren and Wells Creeks are tributaries of the middle fork of the Spillimacheen river. All of these claims gave promise of great richness, but those nearest transformation, and which impressed me as being immediately available for mining operations, were the "Mammoth" and "Eclipse." These could be advantageously mined by running tunnels on the vein, as shown by the illustration herewith. Every foot driven in these tunnels would, in my opinion, and that opinion is shared by all of the engineers who have examined the property, develop an immense amount of stoping ground, and block out millions of dollars worth of copper ore.

[illegible] stage of exposure the vein is fully 16 feet wide, and is easily traced on the property by crosscuts and float for more than 3½ miles. There is between 4 and 6 feet of nearly solid chalcopyrite on the foot wall. This part of the vein is ready for shipment to smelter as soon as mining operations are begun. (75 per cent of the world's supply of copper is produced from chalcopyrite ores.)

THOUSANDS OF TONS OF ORE READY

The upper end of the vein is covered by a large rock-slide which crossed the vein at right angles, carrying down thousands of tons of **solid chalcopyrite to the creek bottom.** This is ample evidence that a much larger body of high grade ore exists and is buried under the slide than is apparent on the surface and where the vein has been crosscut.

I was so much interested in the proposition that I went to British Columbia and spent over three weeks there on the property, and after making a careful study of the conditions, came to the conclusion that **thousands of tons of this high-grade ore could be sacked and shipped from the surface of these properties before any actual mining was done.** This ore will net from $35.00 to $50.00 per ton, **which means that we can begin shipping ore practically at once.**

A GREAT WATER SUPPLY

No copper mine can be truly great without plenty of water, and this property has a magnificent supply for all purposes. Warren Creek is a large stream—Cascade Creek flows south across all of the claims and empties into Warren Creek. Wells Creek is another stream flowing across the property and emptying into Warren Creek. Any of these streams will be sufficient for all the needs of the property, but, in addition to the above, there is a natural reservoir, known as Emerald Lake, located on "Paragon No. 1" claim, which is 2,000 feet above the lowest outcrop. This lake is spring fed and is about 1,000 feet long, 400 feet wide and 40 feet deep. Water could be piped from this lake to a point near where the mill is erected, and turbine wheels would furnish us power and light in abundance for all the needs of the Company at all times.

There is ample timber on the property for the erection of buildings for mining purposes.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES AMPLE

There is a wagon road nearly completed connecting our property with the Kootenay Central Railway. This railway is designed to be the freight transportation branch for the Canadian Pacific. We propose to haul ore over this road to the cars by a traction engine, which we are about ready to install.

CLEVELAND CAPITAL INTERESTED

Upon my return to Cleveland I at once organized a company known as the British-American Copper Mines & Smelter Co., with a capitalization of Five Million Dollars ($5,000,000.00), divided into five million (5,000,000) shares of the par value of One Dollar ($1.00) each, fully paid, non-forfeitable and non-assessable.

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The following are the officers and directors of the Company:

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No officer or director but the engineers receive salary.

The Imperial Bank of Canada, at Golden, B. C., is the British Columbia Depository.

WHAT COPPER MINES HAVE PAID INVESTORS

Four years ago the Calumet and Arizona copper property did not present anything like the possibilities of the British-American, yet $500.00 invested in Calumet and Arizona stock four years ago would be worth $50,000.00 to-day.

$500.00 invested in Nevada Consolidated stock only one year ago would be worth to-day on the market over $10,000.00.

$500.00 invested in North Butte copper stock a year ago would be worth over $10,000.00 to-day.

During the year 1906 the copper mines made a magnificent showing in net earnings, the dividends amounting to more than $57,000,000.00, against $37,370,283.75 paid in 1905. The total copper output of the world in 1905 was estimated at 1,579,200,000 lbs., of which this country produced a little more than 57 per cent. The official returns for 1906 are not yet obtainable, but they will be largely in excess of the 1905 figures.

It is estimated that the year of 1907 will show a copper production aggregating the stupendous sum of 775 millions of dollars.

In the last issue of Ridgway's in an article entitled "Wealth from the Mines" are these figures: In the year 1905 there were mined [illegible] 742 ounces of gold, valued at over $88,000,000.00. The value of the silver product was given at $[illegible] 221,972.00. The copper production aggregated 901,[illegible] lbs., worth $139,[illegible]. As the prices on copper have materially advanced during the past year the figures for 1906 should show a tremendous increase over those of 1905, but the interesting part of these figures is that copper produces more money than silver and gold put together.

COPPER WILL GO HIGHER

I am simply citing the figures to show what enormous profits are being made in copper stocks at the present time, and to give you an idea what you may expect to receive in the way of dividends in a year from the time if you buy British American stock at the price of 20 cents per share to-day.

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I expect to begin shipping by August of this year. I may be able to begin shipment in July, but I want to gather up this loose amount of chalcopyrite ore which is in the creek bottoms and carry it to the smelters at the very earliest date possible. If I can do this I can begin paying dividends this year to those who come in and co-operate with me at a time when I most need their co-operation.

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ATKINS—In Charlestown, Jan. 31, Philip H., husband of Mary F. Atkins (nee Sullivan), 44 yrs. [illegible]
Funeral from his late residence, 29 Chapman st., Sunday, Feb. 3, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Interment at Holy Cross cemetery.

BARBER—In this city, Jan. 31, Mary V., beloved wife of Daniel Barber, 31 yrs. 3 mos. 20 ds.
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FERGUSON—In the South End, Feb. 2, Annie [illegible] beloved daughter of [illegible] and [illegible]
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GAVIN—In South Boston, Feb. 1, Catherine, widow of Timothy Gavin.
Funeral from 211 Gold st., Sunday, Feb. 3, at 12.30. Services at St. Augustine's Church at 1.15. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

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BAKER, 23 years' experience, German, wants situation, first or second, city or country, in a small place; up to date in every line. G. M., 125 South st., Jamaica Plain.

BAKER wants situation, good all round man, city or country, good reference. W. D. M., 73 Stanford st., city.

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BARBER, American, would like steady position, city or suburbs. F., 457 Dudley st., Roxbury.

CARPENTER (colored) and licensed fireman desires work as janitor; experienced, temperate and very trustworthy; reference. C 497, American.

CARRIAGE PAINTER, good finisher, capable of taking charge, desires situation. MR. EDWARDS, 18 Middlesex st., Malden.

CARVER wants situation, first-class man, city or country. Address ANDREW WOLFE, 109½ Spring st., E. Cambridge, Mass.

COACHMAN or general man, understands care of furnace, steam or hot water, 2 years' experience last place. J. H., 939 Parker st., Roxbury.

COOK, first-class French-American, all-round, sober, economical; 15 years' experience chef; wages moderate; reference. 16 Rutland sq., city.

COOK—Good meat, pastry or do pastry for dinner, moderate wages, sober, neat. FRANK SMITH, 37 Fayette st.

COLORED MAN wants position as porter, janitor or elevator man; can furnish references. G 416, Boston American.

ENGLISHMAN wants situation as carpenter, painter and wheelwright helper, and also automobiles and carriages under construction. MR. F. GILBERT, 40 Ford st., Revere, Mass.

EXPERIENCED meat cutter would like permanent position, steady, no liquors. ARTHUR W. BOSLEY, 46 Upton st., city.

ENGINEER, best license, reference character; understands steam, hydraulic, electric plant; can repair the same; temperate, good fireman. ALBERT W. DOLLOFF, 8 Lewis pl., Roxbury.

EXPERIENCED meat and order cook wants work; hotel and restaurant experience; moderate wages; city, or go anywhere. P., 52 Tyler st., city.

EXPERIENCED COOK or chef desires situation in city or country. R. C., 2 Willow pk., Roxbury.

GENERAL MAN wants situation; can take care steam, hot water heater, electric bells; handy with tools. JANITOR, 118 River st., Milton, Mass.

JANITOR, fireman, license, strictly temperate, six years' experience, four in religious institution; can do repairs. E. H. F., 20 Sawyer st., city.

JOBBING carpenter, 20 years old, an all-around man, understands electric wiring and repairs. B. D. C., 481 Beach st., 2d flat, Revere, Mass.

JANITOR would like position, with rooms, city or out of town. S. WILLIAMS, 34 Winchester st., city.

MAN wants position as night watchman or janitor; best references supplied; can give bonds if required. C. D. M., 6 Notre Dame st., suite 3, Roxbury.

MILLWRIGHT wants position in factory doing repairs, age 25, married. RALPH W. JONES, 117 Galen st., Newton.

MAN with railroad and mercantile experience would like position to handle freight traffic. C. BROWN, 161 Bank st., Burlington, Vt.

MAN AND WIFE wish work in a country clubhouse, man as waiter, woman cook, both honest. F. WILLIAMS, 114 Camden st., city.

MAN AND WIFE want a situation, man cook, wife to wash around kitchen; best references. Address G. W. M., 11 Waltham st., city.

NEAT COLORED MAN would like position as second cook or ice cream maker; first-class reference. NATHAN S. FULLER, 53 Kendall st., city.

PHOTO ENGRAVER, printer, and also etching helper; honest young man of good character wants position. LOUIS VARTAN, 3 Hanson st., Boston.

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PLUMBER, with master's license, desires position. WM. J. MacALLISTER, 139 West st., Reading.

SITUATION WANTED as night watchman of any building, experienced. E. B., 15 Nashua st., city.

SITUATION WANTED as night watchman, take charge of steam boilers, experienced. DANIEL RYAN, 5 Humboldt pl., South Boston.

STRONG young colored man desires position of any kind; best references. ALBERT WELLS, 5 Gordon st., Dorchester.

SITUATION as night watchman, can take care of steam boilers. J. H. M., 34 Edison Green, Dorchester.

STEADY WORK wanted by man who can do carpenter work, paint, good all-round man. G. H. SMITH, 4,168 Washington st., Roslindale.

SITUATION wanted as chef; 20 years' experience. S. GRANIS, 78 Carver st., city.

SITUATION wanted as inside man in grocery store or pool room. 18 Haines st., East Boston.

WANTED—Advertising or newspaper work by young man, 25, at present employed; 5 years' experience; correspondence and high-grade office work; best references. Address S 465, Boston American.

WANTED—A situation as collector; will work on weekly pay only. H. POLEN, 12 Barton st., city.

WANTED—Position by a steady, reliable man as janitor, 16 years' experience; A1 reference. K 475, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN desires position, shipping clerk packer in wholesale mfg. house; 5 years' experience; best references. ABE HARRISON, 516 Mass. av., Cambridge.

YOUNG MAN, 22 years of age, would like position as a machinist helper, with 2 years' experience, or brass turner. J. MAZANKS, 103½ Spring st., East Cambridge, Mass.

YOUNG, honest man of good character desires to learn the hardware business; good references given. EDWARD ALDERMAN, 3 Hanson st., city.

YOUNG MAN wants position; strictly temperate. E 468, Boston American.

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WOULD LIKE day's work, care of office or bachelor's apartments. P. J. PRICE, 1 Arnold st., Roxbury.

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YOUNG WOMAN, English, wants housework in flat or chamberwork in lodging house, to go home nights. EMMA DALBY, 16 Willow pk., Roxbury.

AN EXPERIENCED TAILORESS (ladies') would like work to take home; best references. M., 14 James st., suite 4, city.

A YOUNG WOMAN would like work by the hour. F. H. W., 384 Harrison av., Roxbury.

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COLORED WOMAN wants laundry work at home or would go out by the day; write or call. KATIE BRITT, 13 Dartmouth pl., suite 2.

COLORED GIRL would like bachelor's apartment to take care of or as maid for a lady in a flat. MABEL CHANDLER, 49 Norway st., city.

COLORED WOMAN wants work by day, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; will go anywhere. ELLA LONGFORD, 153 Hastings st., Cambridge.

COLORED GIRL would like position with dressmaker by the day or week. MISS E. BUNCOM, 8 Cumston st., city.

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HOUSEKEEPER'S position wanted with widower or elderly lady by middle-aged American Protestant widow. J. E. P., Box 193, E. Pepperell, Mass.

HOUSEKEEPER, nurse or attendant to invalid or elderly lady, experienced, references; call or address. LILA STEVENS, 66 Chandler st., city.

MIDDLE-AGED Protestant widow wishes position as housekeeper for widower's small family. J. F. E., 85 Flint st., Somerville.

NEAT COLORED girl would like general work cleaning or laundry work for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. E. R. FULLER, 33 Kendall st., city.

NURSE wishes engagement, $1 a day; distance fare expected. D 476, Boston American.

PLAIN COOKING in suburbs by experienced colored woman, young, no objection to boarding house; must be woman employer. J. J., 5 Concord pl., city.

REFINED AMERICAN widow, 37, of pleasing personality, no incumbrances, seeks housekeeper's position in gentlemen's home, or care of invalid. M. J. TALBERT, Box 53, Danvers, Mass.

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WIDOW, 49, wants position as housekeeper in widower's family; pleasant home rather than high wages. M. S. H., 5 Wells st., Greenfield, Mass.

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WOMAN would like day's work or laundry work; call or write. BETTIE ANDERSON, 10 Trumbull st., city.

WORK WANTED—Washing or cleaning by the day or hour; will go anywhere. MRS. BUTLER, 7 Douglas av., Roxbury.

WANTED—A position as housekeeper, by a lady of refinement, for a widower or bachelor, no incumbrances, or any position which could be filled by a lady of education and refinement. ALICE GREEN, gen. delivery, Fall River, Mass.

WOULD LIKE FAMILY WASHING to take home, excellent yard for drying, satisfaction guaranteed, clothes called for and delivered free. MRS. E. P., 21 Greenwich st., Roxbury.

WOMAN wants housework or any kind of work where she can go home nights. MRS. J. DRAKE, 851 Albany st., Roxbury.

WORK WANTED by a young woman by day or hour; best reference. D. F., 197 Hampden st., Roxbury.

WOMAN would like family washing to take home, excellent yard for drying, satisfaction guaranteed; clothes called for and delivered free. MRS. E. PARKER, 26 Greenwich st., Roxbury.

WASHING to take home, or would go out by the day; call or write. MRS. WILLIAM WALTON, 153 Northampton st.

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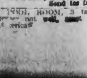

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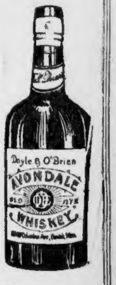

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, Jan. 29th, 1907.—The Committee on Harbors and Public Lands will give a hearing to parties interested in the petition (with accompanying bill, Senate No. 200) of Thomas Leavitt, that the Board of Harbor and Public Land Commissioners be instructed to dredge Dorchester Bay, between Savin Hill and Commercial Point, at room No. 431, State House, on Tuesday, Feb. 5th, at 10:30 A. M. WILLIAM H. FEIKER, Chairman. ALFRED S. BURNS, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, January 30, 1907. The Committee on Public Service will give a hearing to parties interested in petition of Charles Harrington for legislation to authorize the employment of an additional chemist and an additional inspector in the work of examination of foods and drugs at room No. 428, State House, on Wednesday, February 6, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. W. S. SCHUSTER, Chairman. WILLIAM L. V. NEWTON, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, January 30, 1907. The Committee on Metropolitan Affairs will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 48, on constructing dam over Mystic River, near Cradock Bridge; so much of Public Document No. 5, the report of State Treasurer, as relates to Metropolitan water loan sinking fund; and House Bill No. 103 for periodical compilation of certain statistics of Metropolitan Boston, at room No. 436, State House, on Wednesday, Feb. 6, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. GUY W. COX, Senate Chairman; MALCOLM E. NICHOLS, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, January 31, 1907. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in House Bill No. 264 to provide for the establishment of a State system of life insurance and annuities at room No. 249, State House, on Thursday, February 7, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. ALLAN G. BUTTRICK, Chairman. EDWARD H. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, Feb. 1, 1907. The Committee on Public Health will give a hearing to parties interested in Senate bill No. 25, relative to licensing barbers, and Senate bill No. 98 relative to report of State Board of Health on sanitary condition of barber shops at room No. 444, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 7, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. FRANK J. WHEATLEY, Chairman. M. J. COYLE, Clerk of Committee.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS—State House, Boston, Feb. 1, 1907. The Committee on Insurance will give a hearing to parties interested in House bill No. 761, to prevent the insurance of steam boilers without previously inspecting the same; House bill No. 762, to require boiler insurance companies to make a detailed return to the District Police of the inspection of all boilers insured by them, and House bill No. 909 to provide that companies, or persons, insuring steam boilers or insuring against accidents therefrom, shall be responsible for injuries or damages caused by such boilers, at room No 249, State House, on Thursday, Feb. 7, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. ALLAN G. BUTTRICK, Chairman. EDWARD H. O'BRIEN, Clerk of the Committee.

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Scranton, Pa., Feb. 2.—The city of Scranton has been forced to go back to the Elmhurst and No. 7 water supply, which has caused nearly 1,200 cases of typhoid fever and more than 100 deaths. Not to do this means placing the city face to face with a water famine.

The great fire Thursday night drew heavily on the Lake Scranton supply and that, together with the fact that the city for two months has been furnished from this one source presents the problem of to-day. Elmhurst and No. 7 have not been cleaned since the appearance of typhoid, and to go back to them, many believe, means more poison, more fever and more deaths.

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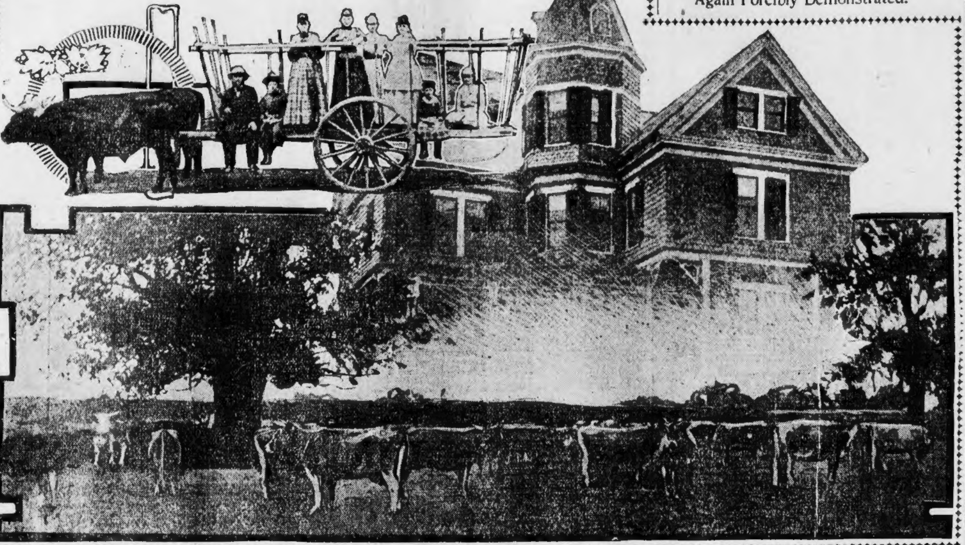
This beautiful tract of pasture land, once owned by John B. Gough, the world-famous temperance orator, who invested most of his earnings in real estate, was purchased by a syndicate in the Spring of 1905 and cut up into lots for building purposes. Within another year the fields where cattle are seen to graze will be blotted out by macadamized streets, lined with residences of which the house in the picture is an existing type.

The snapshot of the farmer and his family in their "oxomobile touring car" was taken in the vicinity last week.

Investors Win Rich Harvest in Undeveloped Sections of Greater Boston. Great Values in Real Estate Bargains Again Forcibly Demonstrated.



Expert in Realty Points to Means of Independence by Building on Greatest of Securities.

Undeveloped tracts of land in and around Boston are disappearing rapidly.

A loud and growing demand for home sites is the cause.

Provident wage-earners have become properly impressed with the importance of owning their own homes.

No longer do they listen with patience to the vulgar vaporings of the improvident, that "it's cheaper to pay rent than own a house." They know that landlords as a rule are not in the business for their health, and that if it was really cheaper to pay rent than own a house there would be fewer prosperous landlords hereabouts.

Unprecedented activity in the local and suburban real estate market would seem to indicate that the thoughtful man of small means and large domestic responsibilities is fully alive to the fact that real estate is the basis of all security. Day after day that fact is forced home on him in our law courts. A man may be worth millions in other securities, but unless he is able to qualify in unencumbered real estate or in cash judges will not accept his bond.

Week after week the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN has cited facts and figures culled from official sources in support of its contention that judicious investment in real estate is the safest of all investments and a producer of the largest results. Thought-compelling excerpts from these official records kept by the Board of Assessors show that real estate holdings in many of the residential suburbs of Boston have doubled and trebled in value within the last ten years.

Unprejudiced observers say that no place in the country can point to a more rapidly developed section of homes than the one to be found in the suburbs of Boston. To the north there has been no pause in the steady progress of such places as Chelsea, Everett, Revere, Malden and Medford. Swinging westward one finds Arlington, Somerville, Cambridge, Belmont, Waverly and Watertown keeping pace with the procession. Continuing the sweep southward, Brighton, the Newtons, Brookline, Roslindale, Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain, Forest Hills and Dorchester are seen to blossom more abundantly with family dwellings each succeeding Spring.

No Time Like the Present.

In all of these sections woodland and pasture are being blotted out by streets and houses at such a steadily increasing rate that in a few years there will be no undeveloped tracts left for the enterprising developer, and therefore no golden inducements to buy for the small investor who is fired with an ambition to sit under his own fig tree within easy traveling distance of his work in the city.

In Dorchester, for instance, there are no longer any large undeveloped tracts of lands, except in the Ashmont and Mattapan districts, and the prospects of having the largest elevated railroad terminal in the world has given Forest Hills a building boom that is bound to make it belie its pastoral name.

To the prospective home builder the obvious lesson is this: "Now is the time to look around and select a site. Now is the time to buy."

The question so often asked, "How can I ever hope out of my small wages to buy land and own a home?" is answered for the benefit of BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN readers by President Edward T. Harrington of the Edward T. Harrington Company, whose large operations in real estate have covered a period of thirty-six years. This is what he says:

How to Get a Start.

"To the young man I would say that the safest and best way is to become a shareholder in a co-operative bank where all the money received is loaned on real estate. After a short membership, long enough for the officers to notice his promptness in paying dues, the bank will be only too pleased to loan him what money he needs to add to what he has already saved in order to purchase a home. In this way he not only has the benefit of his own judgment, but he gets the expert opinion of men well qualified to report upon the value of what he intends to buy.

"His payments being met monthly, he is saving a portion of what he would have to pay for rent, and at the end of a few years he will own his own place free from encumbrance.

"That is one way. There are others, notably the small payment plan at low rates of interest. Scores of investors are selling realty that way in Boston.

"I believe in real estate because it is the basis of all security. By a wise provision of the law, the savings banks are required to invest a certain amount of their deposits in real estate mortgages. Trustees and capitalists are always in search of gilt-edged real estate, either to purchase or upon which to loan. The permanent great wealth of the country, like that of the Astors of New York and the Ameses of Boston, is real estate.

"There is an advantage in real estate that stocks and bonds do not possess. The fact that it is more difficult to sell or mortgage it than it is to dispose of other vested securities has saved many a man from ruin. It has given him time to think seriously of any contemplated change.

"One of the worst misfortunes that can befall a young man is for him to become imbued with the idea that he can get something for nothing. It is a sad commentary on human nature that so many men can be duped all the time by the flambuoyant announcement of stock enterprises which pay wonderful dividends—only on paper. The money sunk and lost in these wildcat schemes year after year would buy a home for every family in Massachusetts."

HOLLAND ISSUES NEW STAMPS FOR CHARITY

Paris, Feb. 2.—Stamp collectors will be pleased to hear that Holland is having three new stamps designed. These stamps are made in the cause of charity, and all the users will have to pay double on their letters. The State will, however, only take its due, the residue going to the societies for the prevention of tuberculosis.

GIRL CRIES "OLD MAID."

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Feb. 2.—Because she called Mary Cassedy an old maid Miss Margaret Farren of Georgetown was arrested, and Alderman Donohue held her under bail to keep the peace and fined her the costs of the case.

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From Allie Wardwell, Converse, Ind.: "I received my Horoscope and I am well pleased with it. You have a wonderful knowledge of human life. It is the best Horoscope I ever had. Please accept my thanks."

While Professor Postel is modest and unassuming, it is clearly seen by a glance at his features that he is a man of keen perception, open-hearted, generous and has a kindly feeling toward humanity. The writer has received one of the readings similar to those which Professor Postel is sending to all who write him, indicating the month and year in which they were born, and it is truly amazing how accurately he describes the life of an individual with only the date of birth and his superior knowledge of astrology to guide him.

If you wish a free reading sit down and write at once, stating the date of your birth, and you will receive by return mail your reading and a copy of Professor Postel's interesting booklet, entitled "Your Destiny Foretold." Address your letter plainly to Professor Albert H. Postel, Dept. 277, No. 126 West 34th st., New York, N. Y.

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